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OFFICERS OF T. P. A.

Elected at Night Session After a Heated Controverry.

CONSTITUTIONAL CHANGES

Question of Deposit of Funds—Increase of Indemnity to Members. Turbulent Gathering Afternoon and Night—Notes.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Asheville, N. C., June 3.—An evident determination to avoid increased expenditures and a clearly indicated opposition to diminishing the causes of liabilities in case of accidents to members, were the features of this afternoon's session of the Travelers' Protective Association convention.

Underneath the surface of the session's proceedings there was a marked current of political excitement predicting the sensational climax of the night session where at the officers for the ensuing year were elected:

P. J. O'Meara, of Indianapolis, defeated Carey King, of Rome, Ga., for president on the first ballot. L. T. LaBeume, of St. Louis, was unanimously elected secretary and treasurer with T. Schuyler Logan assistant and vice presidents as follows in their order; Frank Pegues, of South Carolina; Edward J. Wernicke, California; John A. Guise, Mississippi; W. L. Diggins, Florida and Frank R. Hewitt, North Carolina. National Board of Directors, Geo. W. Smith, St. Louis, chairman; Fred R. Scharlach, St. Louis; Geo. Diehl, Texas; John T. Rock, Iowa and W. W. St. John, New York.

When the convention was called to order this afternoon the changes proposed to the constitution were resumed. Those relative to the membership fees, the disposition of the National treasurer's funds and the transference of certain monies to the benefit fund were adopted without question. The first contest as to constitutional amendments arose upon the proposition looking to the investment of all funds in the hands of the National treasurer over and above $10,000. The purport of this amendment was the placing of funds out at interest "in any trust company or National bank, if in the discretion of the board of directors it was desirable to do so." This question was strenuously debated on the floor of the convention, many delegates advancing arguments to the effect that the amendment if adopted, would deprive State banks of State associations' deposits. The amendment was tabled by a viva voce vote.

An amendment to Section 2, Article 4, of the constitution providing for the increase of the liability of the Association from $5,000 to $10,000 in case of the death of a member while riding in the passenger coach of a regular passenger train, was voted down with little ceremony. The amendment to Article 9 looking to the yearly increase of $250 for indemnity shall have reached the sum of $7,500 was withdrawn. The amendment fixing the salary of the chairman of the National board of directors at $900 per annum was adopted after a heated debate.

Other amendments to the effect that the causes for liability in case of death be restricted to a greater extent than at present existing were successively defeated.

After two motions for adjournment had been lost on "aye" and "no" votes, a division was called and a motion to adjourn until 8 o'clock at night was carried by an overwhelming majority.

Chattanooga was chosen as the next place of meeting at the night session. The convention adjourned sine die at 2:10 A. M.

OUTLINES.

The Minneapolis Journal is receiving telegrams from leaders of the Union and Confederate Veterans all over the country concerning a proposition to hold a great reunion at Washington under supervision of the War Department——Congressman Small, of North Carolina, accompanied by the members of the Intra-coastal Waterways Board and several Congressmen, left Norfolk yesterday on two steamers to inspect the southern end of the Boston to Beaufort waterway——In the United States Senate yesterday there was a sharp colloquy between Senators Stone and Aldrich, the former telling the latter he was guilty of gross impertinence. Senator LaFollette finished his two days' speech on the cotton schedule of the tariff bill——At Hopkinsville, Ky., yesterday a memorial park was simply dedicated and a proposition was made to raise a fund of $30,000 to erect a Davis' Memorial Temple at the birthplace of the Confederate President——It is predicted that the Philadelphia strike of street railway men will be settled today——New York markets: Money on call easy 1 3-4 to 2 per cent., ruling rate 1 7-8, closing bid 1 1-2, offered at 1 3-4. Spot cotton quiet 11.50. Flour firm with a moderate demand. Wheat firm, No. 2 red 1.50 asked elevator. Corn steady, No. 2, 86 elevator. Oats barely steady, mixed 62 1-2 nominal. Turpentine and rosin quiet.

MANNING IS APPOINTED

Appointed to Succeed Judge Connor on Supreme Bench—Oil Inspectors Four to be Named—Interest in Horticulture.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., June 3.—Governor Kitchin today appointed James S. Manning, of Durham, as an associate justice of the State Supreme Court of North Carolina to succeed Judge Henry Groves Connor, appointed United States judge for the Eastern District of this State. Mr. Manning was the manager for Governor Kitchin in his campaign.

Mr. Manning is a very able lawyer and a loyal North Carolinian. He is 50 years of age and has practiced law for 26 years. He served in both the House and Senate with distinction and his practice of the law has involved many important cases. Other members of the Supreme Court advanced to that position without first having served on the Superior court bench were: Justice Platt Walker, of the present court, the late Justices Dillard, Ruffin, Merrimon, Ashe, Smith, Davis and Burwell.

The State Board of Agriculture before electing ten oil inspectors today, changed the basis of pay from a maximum salary of $1,000 prescribed by the Legislature to $3 per day and expenses while actually engaged in inspection work.

It is thought by this means the cost of inspection service in the State will be greatly reduced. Inspectors chosen are: First district, George G. Stoddard, Washington; second, J. D. Battle, Tarboro; third, C. V. Robinson, Beaufort; fourth, Jacob Thompson, Pittsboro; fifth, J. H. Watson, Graham; sixth, J. D. Austin, Maxton; seventh, S. S. Lockhart, Wadesboro; eighth, Martin A. Higgins, Eunice; ninth, E. B. Jones, Hickory; tenth, R. E. Flack, Rutherfordton. Applicants were here from all parts of the State working like Trojans for the positions.

That interest and activities in horticultural work generally is growing steadily among the farmers in all parts of the State, was the showing made in the annual report of Horticulturalist W. N. Hutt to the State Board. In the eastern section the interest centers in truck and berry grading experiments and in the west in apples more especially and in the Piedmont section pears and peaches. These industries have already assumed enormous proportions and the experiments directed by the horticultural department are more especially to improve the methods of cultivation and handling. Consideration of reports of divisions of the department was continued today.

The work on a $24,000 primary, or little child's dormitory, will begin within the next week, said Dr. I. McK. Goodwin, superintendent of the State School for the Deaf and Dumb at Morganton today. He has just closed a most successful session of the institution and is here conferring with the State authorities. The material for the new building is now being placed.

Miss Irene Stephenson, 14 years old, of Cary, is the latest victim of mad

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CYCLONE THROUGH GEORGIA

Passed Over Lower Part of Screven County Late Yesterday, Injuring Several—Boys' Act of Heroism—The Losses.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Sylvania, Ga., June 3.—A half dozen persons, probably more, were injured in a terrific cyclone that passed over the lower part of Screven county at 4 o'clock this evening and while no life has been yet reported lost, many persons escaped by seeming miracles, houses falling about and upon several, without inflicting fatal injuries.

The cyclone came from the direction of Dover and disappeared from there in a northeasterly direction. It completely wrecked the home of Stephen Thomson, a white farmer, and buried under its ruins the farmer and his wife and children. An act of heroism followed when the older of their sons after working valiantly despite his injuries, managed to extricate himself from the fallen timbers and debris of the house and then rescued the other members of the family in turn. Mrs. Thomson was very seriously hurt but the others sustained injuries less grave though very painful.

Two tenant houses on the place of J. C. Walker were destroyed and their colored occupants injured. Tenant houses on the places of Thomas Lee and John Robbins were also wrecked but no one was killed.

Many of those who were caught by the cyclone saw it approaching but owing to its velocity were unable to find places of safety before it struck. It is stated that the storm's appearance was that of an ordinary whirlwind such as are frequently seen in Summer, though it was very much larger and moved with much greater rapidity.

Hot Weather.

But you can forget it on the ride to the Pier. Steamer Wilmington leaves daily at 5:15 P. M. Fare 15 cents for round trip. **

TEMPER IN SENATE

Senator Aldrich Arouses Anger of Senator Stone.

CHEWED RAG THREE HOURS

Missourian Told Rhode Islander He Was Guilty of Gross Impertinence—LaFollette Exhausted Himself.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, June 3.—The Senate was not in an amiable state of mind today and as a consequence there were several clashes of temper. The day was begun with a speech by Senator Stone, of Missouri, in which he asserted that the German officials had taken exception to remarks recently made by Senator Aldrich relative to the wage statement supplied by the German government at the request of the American Secretary of State.

Mr. Aldrich had characterized as "impertinent" the effort which he claimed, had been made in that statement to influence American tariff legislation, and Mr. Stone undertook to show that the epithet had been applied to the German government. Mr. Aldrich resented this implication but he repeatedly said that the German manufacturers had undertaken to influence the course of the tariff bill and he charged that in so doing they had been guilty of impertinence.

During the course of his remarks Mr. Aldrich intimated that Mr. Stone was acting as a representative of Germany and this remark aroused the anger of the Missourian. Declaring his right to speak his mind as an American Senator, he said that the use of the expression was a gross impertinence.

The colloquy consumed almost three hours. Ultimately Mr. Aldrich paid a high compliment to the German people and their Emperor and the incident closed for the day with the statement by Mr. Stone that while Mr. Aldrich and Mr. Depew, who had also been involved in the controversy, had not made a straightforward retraction as he had believed they should, they had so "sugar coated" the dose as to relieve it of its bitter taste.

Following the Aldrich-Stone episode Senator LaFollette resumed his speech in opposition to the cotton schedule which proved to be a general criticism of the methods of the finance committee. He asserted that the German wage report had, contrary to a statement by Mr. Aldrich, reached the committee before the tariff bill was reported to the Senate and he charged the committee with general neglect in withholding information from the Senate. He opposed the new cotton duties as excessive and made an argument in favor of a general scaling down.

Towards the close of the afternoon session Mr. LaFollette became quite exhausted and an effort was made to obtain permission for him to suspend and resume again tomorrow. Senator Aldrich took advantage of the incident to make an effort to obtain an agreement to vote on the cotton schedule at a fixed hour tomorrow. In this he was successful and after 15 minutes recuperation the Wisconsin Senator proceeded. At 5:30 the Senate recessed until 8 P. M.

In the House.

After trying for three quarters of an hour to obtain a quorum and not meeting with success, the House today adjourned until Monday. The point of no quorum was made by Mr. Bacon, of Arkansas, who demanded the presence of a constitutional majority for the consideration of the bill amending the laws of Porto Rico.

That the Republicans plan to pass the bill next week was made evident when Mr. Payne, of New York, the majority leader, served notice that if a quorum was not present on Monday next he would move that the sergeant-at-arms bring in the absentees.

Night Session.

Washington, June 3.—After a heated discussion over a request made by Mr. Beveridge that the Senate adjourn because Mr. LaFollette was ill as a result of the exertion caused by his speech and could not continue, the Senate, made considerable progress at the night session. The hemp, flax and jute and sundries schedules were considered, the cotton schedule being passed over temporarily. Mr. LaFollette's absence was criticised by the Republicans and defended by the Democrats and conservatives.

The paragraph on cotton bagging was passed over, Mr. Aldrich promising Mr. Tillman that the finance committee would give the paragraph careful consideration in order that it will be prepared to insist on its amendment in conference if it should be decided to reduce or abolish the duty on cotton bagging.

Mr. Aldrich offered a substitute for the paragraph placing a duty on a long list of articles of jewelry. Mr. Aldrich said the new paragraph would prevent undervaluation and would increase the revenue. It was agreed to.

The most important amendment adopted was the reduction of the duty on common gloves for women and children from $1.75 to $1.25 per dozen.

The committee amendments to the paragraphs on works of art were agreed to. The Senate adjourned at 11 o'clock.

Athletic Events.

Athletic Events at the beach tomorrow afternoon. **

DAVIS' BIRTHDAY

Memorial Park Was Dedicated Hopkinsville, Ky., Yesterday.

LINCOLN BORN IN SAME STATE

Birthplace of Confederate President Purchased by Women of South. Proposition to Raise $30,000 to Erect Memorial.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Fairview, Ky., June 3.—Among the trees which have grown up about the birthplace of Jefferson Davis since the year, early in the 19th century, when the Davis family removed to Mississippi, the Jefferson Davis Memorial Park was simply dedicated today. Northeast across the State is Hodgenville near which Abraham Lincoln was born eight months after his great opponent. Fairview is still a tiny town remodeled with forests and sloping gently toward the grass-grown battlefields of Tennessee.

In September, 1907, when the gray grown and enfiladed ranks of Kentucky's famous Orphan Brigade met in Glasgow, Ky., at the grave of General Joseph H. Lewis, their commander, former Governor Bolivar Buckner, of Kentucky, broached the plan of the Jefferson Davis memorial. Subscriptions were started, the women of the South aiding nobly, and when all but $4,000 had been raised to purchase 17 acres at Fairview, General Bennett H. Young, commanding the Kentucky division, United Confederate Veterans, advanced the sum and made the memorial possible.

Oratory, music and flowers made today notable. A basket dinner and a barbecue were provided by the people of Todd and Christian counties which share equally the town of Fairview, and when Colonel W. A. Milton, of Louisville, as chairman in the absence of General Young, who was detained in Chicago, opened the meeting the homestead of the Davises was crowded. General Young, a prominent Louisville lawyer, wrote the chief address of the day and it was read by Colonel Milton. He asserted that every Southern State should rear a shaft to Jefferson Davis, whose character and sufferings he dwelt upon sympathetically. He paid a high tribute to Lincoln, saying that the time had come when men might speak kindly and truly of the past. He said the message which the United South gave to the world today was one of everlasting peace.

The plan is to raise $30,000 more with which to build a memorial temple to contain all the records of the Confederacy and to remodel a two-story residence upon the Davis farm to house the widows of Confederate soldiers.

Commemorate Davis' Birthday.

New Orleans, June 3.—The birthday of Jefferson Davis, only President of the Confederacy, was commemorated today with public ceremonies throughout many of the Southern States.

The day is a legal holiday in Florida, Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi, Tennessee, South Carolina, Texas and Louisiana, and so far as the public schools are concerned, in Virginia. In Louisiana it is also set apart as Confederate memorial.

The bestowal of Crosses of Honor upon surviving Confederate soldiers was included in the programmes carried out in many places.

Numerous Confederate organizations and hundreds of citizens generally joined today in New Orleans, where the ex-President died, in paying tribute to his memory and in strewing with flowers the graves of Confederate soldiers.

Lexington, Va., June 3.—Confederate Memorial Day was observed here today. The tombs of Generals Lee and Jackson were given special attention. Rain prevented a parade and other outdoor exercises. Subrey E. Strode, of Amherst, was orator for the occasion and spoke in Lee Memorial Chapel at Washington and Lee.

RAILROAD MAIL ASSOCIATION

Favors Re-classification of the Transfer Service.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Atlanta, Ga., June 3.—At today's session of the Railway Mail Association's annual convention here resolutions were adopted favoring a re-classification of the transfer service, payment to mail clerks of actual expenses while on duty and away from the initial terminal, higher classification for the apartment car lines and elimination of deferred promotion.

The Association urged a better method of handling registered matter, a more thorough inspection of railway postal cars by the Inter-State Commerce Commission, a more equitable method of discipline, extension of sick leaves and retirement for aged and disabled railway postal clerks.

The transfer of efficient railway postal clerks to postmastership at offices with salaries at not less than $1,000 per annum, was urged in a resolution adopted.

WILL SETTLE STRIKE TODAY

Early Agreement Between Men and Company Readily Predicted. Slight Rioting Renewed Again—Demands.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Philadelphia, June 3.—The strike of the motormen and conductors of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company which began on last Saturday morning is now in the process of settlement and those having the matter in charge confidently assert that it will be brought to a close within 24 hours.

Serious rioting which started last night, was renewed today in various sections of the city. Most of these disturbances occurred at the noon hour when workers amused themselves by throwing bricks and other missiles at passing motormen and conductors. For the first time since the strike began a number of the employes on the elevated road deserted their posts and joined the strikers. This line, however, continued in operation all day. Cars on the other lines of the company ran at irregular intervals until night fall, when no further attempt was made to continue the service.

Influential political leaders today bent all their energies towards a settlement. Senator McNichol, the recognized Republican leader, and Senator Vare, who controls the down town section, announced that they sympathized with the men and were trying to bring the strike to an end.

Senator McNichols submitted to the company the demands of the men. These, it is understood, were somewhat modified. Twenty-two cents an hour, instead of 25 cents, originally asked by the men, is said to be one of the new demands. These demands when submitted to the transit company, according to Senator McNichol, were assented to with some slight modifications. The modified agreement was returned to the men who will make their final answer tomorrow.

The move to have the differences between the company and its employes submitted to arbitration acted as a panacea upon the boisterous strike sympathizers, but not before the rioters in the Kensington district had started on their errand of destruction. Early in the evening a mob of nearly 2,000 persons started for the main barn of the Transit, 8th and Dauphin streets for the purpose, as they declared, of destroying the structure. By the time the barn was reached there were nearly 4,000 persons in the mob. When the crowd reached the barn it was met by 500 policemen. This array of blue coats had a quieting effect on the rioters and they dispersed after hurling a few stones through the windows.

At Broad street and Erie Avenue, 13th street and Allegheny avenue and Clearfield streets, the demonstrations early in the evening were almost as serious as those in the Kensington district last night. Cars were wrecked, motormen and conductors beaten and policemen were assaulted. Several persons were injured by the indiscriminate hurling of stones and clubs by the lawless element. No attempt was made to burn the cars, the mob being content with breaking the

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A STRIKE OF MACHINISTS

Over Four Hundred in B. & O. Shops Have Quit Work—Strike Began in Baltimore—Against the Piece Work System.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Baltimore, June 3.—The strike of the machinists and their helpers in the Baltimore & Ohio railroad shops, originating in the Mt. Clare shops, this city, as a protest against the introduction of the piece work system in the erecting department, has now extended to the shops at Cumberland, Grafton, Fairmont, Parkersburg (Ohio) river division shops; Connellsville, Glenwood, New Castle Junction, Pa., Cleveland, Newark, Chicago Junction, O., and Gerrett, Ind., and the men say, to other shops.

At the railroad company offices here tonight it was stated that in the shops named 468 men have quit work and that 213 remain. The statement was also made that of the total number of machinists, helpers and apprentices employed by the road in the affected district, only about 25 per cent. of the men have stopped work. This differs materially from the reports received at the headquarters of the strikers in this city, where it was said that 6 P. M. telegrams from points along the road show that 85 per cent. have quit work.

The National Wholesale Grocers' Association at its convention at Detroit, Mich., went on record yesterday as being opposed to the new regulation of the Government Food Inspection Department which requires the name of the guarantor to be shown on packages of food products. This order was recently made and rescinds the present serial number system of guaranty.

Get Cool.

Take a ride to the Pier and back. Steamer Wilmington leaves daily at 5:15 P. M. 15 cents round trip. **

SAILORS LOSE AGAIN

Slow Fielding and Heavy Hitting by Visitors Cost Wilmington Game.

FIRST OF WILSON SERIES

Fayetteville Forging Ahead With Another Victory—Goldsboro Takes Conceit Out of Raleigh.—Drop to Fourth.

Results Yesterday.

Wilmington 0, Wilson 3.
Goldsboro 1, Raleigh 0.
Rocky Mount 2, Fayetteville 7.

Games Today.

Wilson at Wilmington.
Fayetteville at Rocky Mount.
Raleigh at Goldsboro.

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Wilson	9	5	.643
Raleigh	8	6	.571
Goldsboro	9	7	.563
Wilmington	8	8	.500
Rocky Mount	5	9	.357
Fayetteville	5	9	.357

By losing the first of the series on the local grounds to Wilson yesterday afternoon by a score of three to nothing, Wilmington drops to fourth place in the East Carolina League standing and the fans are disconsolate. However, the game yesterday afternoon was played in a drizzle of rain and under the most untoward circumstances, Brodie being still out of the game on acount of a strained leader in one of his ankles, and much better things are looked for this afternoon.

Wilson won yesterday on slow fielding and a batting rally of the visitors in the fourth and fifth innings. In the fourth Miller, first up, drew a pass, was sacrificed by Cooper and scored on successive singles by Byrd and Armstrong to centre. With one down, Holt hit to third and Byrd was out at the plate; Cowell up and Armstrong was out at third. In Wilmington's half Byrd cut off a single by Jayes on a sensational one-hand catch on third after Levy and Kite were out, short to first.

Wilson's two other runs were added in the fifth when Cowell led off with a single to right but was forced by Moore at second; Guerrant drove one out in Levy's territory, advancing Moore to third on slow fielding; Guerrant stole second and Yerkes lined one to centre, scoring Moore and Guerrant, but was himself caught at second; Miller sent another down into centre but attempted to steal second and was out. For Wilmington Simmons was out third to first, Fox flew to left and Howard beat the ozone.

The game opened promising enough when Moore was out second to first, Guerrant to second and Yerkes to third, and Wilmington in its half got a safety through Capt. Smith after Sharp was out second to first and Streaser to pitcher, but Levy ended the hope by forcing Smith at second.

Miller and Cooper opened the second for Wilson with neat singles but Byrd flew out to pitcher and after Armstrong had singled to left, the side was retired by a double of Holt's bunt, Fox to Kite to Fox. For Wilmington Kite led off with a single and was sacrificed by Jayes; Simmons fanned but Fox followed it up with a single, Kite going to third. Howard could do nothing more than fan.

In the third Cowell and Moore beat at three neat deceptions from Howard; Guerrant singled to centre and stole second but Yerkes was out to third. Sharp was out, pitcher to first; Streaser fanned and Smith was out, short to first.

The melancholy story of the fourth and fifth has been told. In the sixth Byrd drew a pass, but Cooper, Armstrong and Holt flew to the outfield. For Wilmington Sharp was out third to first; Streaser and Smith to first.

The seventh, Cowell and Moore fanned; Guerrant was safe on error of short and stole second, but Yerkes too yielded to three saliva slants from Howard. Levy was out, pitcher to first; Kite was safe on error of pitcher; Jayes popped out to first and Simmons out, third to first.

Both teams were out in order in the eighth, Miller on foul to Kite, Cooper short to first and Byrd fanned. For Wilmington Fox fanned and Howard and Sharp flew out to left and first base.

The ninth, Armstrong flew to centre; Holt popped out to Kite and Cowell fanned. Wilmington's last attempt was Streaser and Smith out, short to first. The crowd was leaving with hope abandoned when Levy singled to right and Kite followed this up with a liner down third, but Jayes ended the hope by forcing Levy at third.

The Tabulated Score.

Wilson	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Moore, cf	4	1	0	0	0	0
Guerrant, 1b	4	1	2	15	2	1
Yerkes, ss	4	0	1	0	5	0
Miller, rf	3	1	2	0	0	0
Cooper, 2b	3	0	1	2	2	0
Byrd, 3b	3	0	1	2	4	0
Armstrong, lf	4	0	2	2	0	0
Holt, c	4	0	0	5	0	0
Cowell, p	4	0	1	1	2	0
Totals	33	3	10	27	15	1

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LA FOLLETTE IN DESPAIR.

That was a great speech which Senator LaFollette, of Wisconsin, began on the tariff bill on Tuesday and concluded yesterday. Mr. LaFollette is a Republican but he finds himself at wide variance with his party leaders who are in Washington representing the "Interests" and not the people.

The gentleman from Wisconsin is the representative of the people of his State and he won his place in the Senate because his heart was with them. As a matter of fact, the distinguished gentleman led the fight in his State for reform, and the position he now takes in the Senate on the tariff measure represents a sentiment that is deeply rooted in his State. He knows that their demands were earnest and loud for a lessening of the tariff burdens upon the people, and no doubt he held the State in the Republican column in the last election upon the plea that the tariff would be "revised (downward) by its friends." He and his people now see the hypocrisy and perfidy of his party, or of the men who control it, and the Senator speaks like a man who is broken hearted and in despair at the folloy of his party. Representing a profound reform sentiment in his State, he evidently is alarmed at the probable result in Wisconsin in the next election if the Republican party fails to carry out its solemn pledge to the people. It is easy to observe that he fears that the action of his party in revising the tariff upward instead of downward means a Democratic victory in the next election. The people demanded reform and relief and they are getting it in the neck.

The Wisconsin Senator, therefore, is making a desperate effort to keep his State out of the Democratic column and to preserve his party from defeat in the Nation. It might be observed here that there are other Republican States in the West which are in the doubtful class with Wisconsin and there is a very strong probability that if a higher tariff instead of relief is the outcome of Republican legislation at this time, several of such States will surely go Democratic in the next election for Congressmen and probably will vote for a Democratic President in 1912.

In his speech Senator LaFollette in a masterly way put a quietus upon the deceit and effrontery of Senator Aldrich and Frye in their deceptive and unblushing declarations that the Republican National platform did not promise revision downward. The Wisconsin statesman proved it to their teeth that the Republican platform and campaign promises were for a lessening of the Dingley tariff, and that the proposed Aldrich tariff means treachery and treason to the people.

The Roosevelt administration prated loudly about predatory wealth, the criminal rich, and trust busting, but Senator LaFollette proved how futile were the efforts of the strenuous Roosevelt to curb the trusts under the Dingley high tariff. It was an unwelcome truth and bitter dose that he rammed down their throats, when he made the declaration that during all of Roosevelt's trust busting career, the Dingley tariff enabled trusts to extend their control over 8,664 plants with a capital of more than $20,000,000.

Senator LaFollette's speech occupied the best part of two days, and in his desperation and desparing effort to appeal to his party he so exhausted himself that the Senate out of courtesy to him adjourned Tuesday afternoon in order to give him a rest that enabled him to go on with his speech on Wednesday.

With the Aldrich tariff still higher than the Dingley schedules, what must the country expect in the next four years? However, the Republic's people (probably) put the Republican party in power, and it is their funeral.

SHOE MANUFACTURERS SCARED.

The shoe manufacturers of New England and of Western manufacturing points, have had a nightmare, or else have had some ground for their fear that the combined packers of this country, enabled so to do under the high tariff, would not only obtain control of the tanneries, but would actually monopolize the shoe manufacturing business as well. The packers already control the hide output and with the tanneries in their grasp, the shoe making and leather goods business would be an easy step.

We had thought that the shoe men were unnecessarily alarmed, but in his plea with his party to revise the tariff downward, Senator LaFollette, of Wisconsin, in his great speech on Tuesday, asserted that 200 manufacturers of shoes came to Washington begging for a hearing before the Senate committee on finance "because the beef packers were obtaining certain control of the tanneries." Senator LaFollette shared the alarm of the manufacturers, and prophesied that if the Aldrich tariff bill is enacted, "the packers would reach out and eventually control not only the tanneries but all the products of leather."

That there may be some truth in it all, one may judge from the following, which appeared May 24th, in the news columns of the New York Journal of Commerce:

"The news that Armour & Co., the big beef packers, had sold $30,000,000 in bonds to local banking inteersts attracted active discussion in financial and other circles on Saturday. The sale was quite generally interpreted as having connection with an extension of the business into broader channels, especially an extension of the Armour tanning connections. Some reports claimed the new borrowing meant a still further step to include boot and shoe manufacturing. At any rate, leather and large boot and shoe interests are exceedingly sensitive of the threatened entrance of the big packers as competitors; and the fact that the Armours are the third of the large packers to make capital demands is considered quite significant, in view of the strong movement for free hides in tariff legislation. It will be recalled that Swift & Co., recently increased their capital stock $10,000,000, to $60,000,000 and the Cudahy Packing Company has just sold $4,000,000 first mortgage 5 per cent. bonds.

"The large packing interests are quite generally credited with opposing at Washington the mavement for free hides with all the strength and energy at their command. Free hides mean that the special benefit of the packers as producers of hides would be eliminated and they would not have the particular advantage in the leather business of starting with cheaper hides than their competitors, who would have to depend upon the imported material, could secure in large quantities."

WILMINGTON MUST GROW.

Speaking of the movement among the younger citizens to organize a movement for a greater Wilmington, the Eastern Carolina News, of Kenansville, makes this kind reference:

"Whether Wilmington people realize it or not the people of the State are watching the results of the new movement there to organize for the material growth of that city. We have always felt a keen interest in our seaport city and this paper will always rejoice with her in any forward movement. It was from a rib of New Hanover that Duplin was made and we feel in this late day a strong affection for our old parent. The men of Wilmington can and should press on in this their new undertaking for good is sure to come from it. With a surrounding territory in the two Carolinas, and the excellent seaport advantages and summer resort and with the distinction of being our only compress town, there is nothing for Wilmington to do but to go forward. Starting new schemes and then allow them to die is worse than if they had never been begun. So this organization of loyal and determined men of Wilmington can accomplish wonders in a few short years.

"North Carolina as a whole, will rejoice at this city's prosperity unless some envious "village" might attempt to weaken her growth. The largest and greatest cities have had a moderate and sure growth and none of them tried to grow up in a day or a year. Keep your heads, gentlemen, and map out a conservative and attractive course."

ABOUT RIGHT.

The Winston-Salem Journal makes this observation:

"Wilmington is probably the most modest town in North Carolina. A directory taken for that city places the population at 35,000. Seems a little odd when other towns are claiming 42,000 and 45,000 souls. When the United States census is taken, however, we opine that Wilmington will show up as well as any of them."

Now the sugar trust is charged by the Inter-State Commerce Company with rebating to the extent of $266,000. This is not the first time, the trust having once before had to pay $260,000 for rebating. Recently it was convicted of robbing the government of tariff duties by using fraudulent weights, and this is one of the bunch that gets a big tariff bounty from the government and pours out money to elect Republican Presidents.

Very few "angry passages" have taken place between the Senators during the tariff debate. The consumers will please observe that they are too well agreed. If some of the Senators had to prance away from a few left-hand jabs and dodge frequent uppercuts for the jaw, they might be considered as making some effort to stand up for the people.

The Washington correspondent of a Boston paper telegraphs: "The New England Senators are as attentive to the tariff bill as a sitting hen to her nest." They are there to see that no wicked scheme for tariff revision downward can be hatched out.

Mrs. Emma Kaufman, wife of a wealthy brewer of Sioux Falls, Ia., is on trial for killing her servant girl. Housekeepers will please refrain from jumping at the concusion that it was only a case of justifiable homicide.

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Are you one of the many women who suffer from some of those ailments which are caused by female trouble? If you are, you want to get well, don't you? You wish to get rid of the pain and the misery so you may enjoy good health and be happy.

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Note this letter from Miss Boyd Richardson, Danish, N. C.

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President Taft and Secretary of the Navy Meyer have issued orders that hereafter graduates from the Naval Academy must go to sea for two years before they can wed. After the middies marry many of them will surely get into deep water.

The Washington Post is responsible for the statement that "by eating onions twice a day an Ohio woman lived to be 115 years old." Please state how the old man kept from carrying her off in a tow sack before she was half that old.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—It's one of our hobbies, and we can't refrain from calling attention to the tornadoes in Texas, the cyclones in Kansas and the floods in Mississippi, when North Carolina is the most favored spot on the globe. We are the favored state clause in the galaxy of stars.—Winston-Salem Journal.

—We hope ex-President Roosevelt will have a good time and get all the sport he wants in killing lions and other big game and be ready to serve the American people as President again in 1912. We want the man who helped us to build up the Republican party in North Carolina from sixty thousand to one hundred and fifteen thousand, to come back again and give us a Square Deal.—Clinton News Dispatch (Republican.)

—A year ago Indiana stood about third in the list of States paying the largest amount of internal revenue tax from its distilleries and breweries. Now 80 of its 92 counties have voted "dry," and it is expected that one or two more will vote the same way. There used to be an old saying out there, "The more rain the more corn, the more corn the more whiskey, and the more whiskey the more Democrats." Indiana went Democratic last year, and now goes dry. Things have changed.—Washington Post.

—The question of whether women should smoke or not has been settled in the affirmative by some of the European royal ladies. The Empress Dowager of Russia smokes cigarettes regularly; the Queen of Roumania, when at her literary labors, usually has a cigarette between her lips; the Queen Mother of Spain is said to smoke cigars as well as cigarettes, and the widowed Queen of Portugal smokes incessantly. Queen Alexandra of England and Queen Victoria of Spain are not smokers, while the Empress of Germany has taken a firm stand against the use of the weed by her sex.—Leslie's Weekly.

—A correspondent of a Raleigh paper advocates reading Senator Simmons out of the party and denouncing him as a traitor on account of the position he has taken on the tariff. This sort of a sentiment played smash with the party in this State not long ago, and if encouraged, will do so again. The Salisbury Post expresses the proper view when it says that it is high time for the Democracy of North Carolina to take its bearings. "We have no reason to feel secure," says The Post, "when it is proposed in seriousness to deny party association to tried leaders who have given a life-time of service to the party. We need but to look to see that the danger signal is out." Intolerance is the one thing above all others the Democratic party wants to avoid just now. In connection with the proposed excommunication of Mr. Simmons would be the excommunication of a sufficient number of Democrats to put North Carolina in the Republican column in the next presidential election, and that may be set down as an incontrovertible fact. —Charlotte Chronicle.

TWINKLINGS.

—The Stranger—Do the people who live across the road from you, Rastus, keep chickens? Rastus—Dey keeps some of 'em sah.—Christian Advocate.

—Knicker—I remember a spring just like this. Bocker—So do I; it was the spring you borrowed that fiver you always forgot to return.—New York Sun.

—Miss De Flirte—Oh, don't mind Towser—His bark is worse than his bite. Mr. Softy (who has just been bitten)—Good gracious! I hope he won't bark!—Skits.

—"Dear the cat!" "What's the matter girl?" "Oh, the cat went to sleep on my new hat, and I wore her downtown and back?"—Louisville Courier-Journal.

—Bride—Here is a telegram from papa. Bridegroom (eagerly)—What does he say? Bride (reads)—Do not return, and all will be forgiven.—Chicago Record-Herald.

—Mother (at lunch)—Yes, darling, these little sardines are sometimes eaten by the larger fish. Mabel (aged 5)—But, mamma, how do they get the cans open?—Boston Transcript.

—"Give woman the credit she deserves," the suffragette cried, "and where would man be?" "If she got all the credit she wanted, he'd be in the poorhouse," sneered a coarse person in the rear of the hall.—Stray Stories.

—"Well," said Cassidy, "'tis too bad that none av us kin iver be as good as some people think we sh'u'd be." "Aye!" replied Casey, "but 'tis consolin' to think that none av us kin ever be as bad as some people think we are."—Catholic Standard and Times.

MILITIA FOR STRIKERS

Gov. Gillett Ordered Four Companies Out—Signs of Violence.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Sacramento, Cal., June 2.—In response to a telegram from Colonel Bradbury, at McCloud, Ca., announcing that the 600 striking lumber workmen had broken into the light and power plant and forced the firemen and engineers to quit work, Governor Gillett today ordered four companies of militia to proceed to the scene at once.

The troops left Sacramento by special train tonight to make the 350 mile journey to the heart of the Shasta Lumber region.

WARM WIRELETS.

Onaferro Chiramente, the Italian charged with the murder of B. LaBella, a wealthy Italian merchant, of New York, was yesterday convicted of murder in the first degree with recommendation to murder. LaBella's body was found in the suburbs of the city.

The 51st General Assembly of the United Presbyterian church finally closed its sessions at Knoxville, Tenn., yesterday. It was decided to return to the old form of ordination. Preachers were instructed by amendment to the church doctrine not to marry persons who have been divorced except on scriptural grounds.

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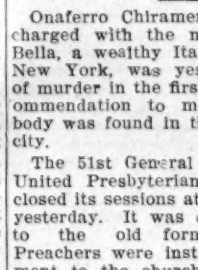

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Silk, satin-back Velvet Ribbon, of 25c value, No. 9, This sale	15c
No. 12 regular 35c value, This sale	19c
Plain Corset Covers, (not more than two to a customer) This sale	10c
Extra fine Skirt, $1.00 value. This sale	48c
200 bunches 25c Flowers. This sale	10c
100 Ladies' Chip Hats, regular 75c values. This sale	19c
The New Sweetheart Sailor This sale	48c
Lawn Jumper Dresses for ladies in white and colors This sale	$1.48
Large assortment of Ladies Coat Suits in "Rep" and Linen, during this sale from	$3.25 to $7.50
"C. and B." Coutil Corset, of $1.00 value, special. This sale	59c
Big lot of Child's Straw Sailors This sale	19c
Boys' Wash Pants, always 25c. This sale	14c
100 Straw Hats for men (Dress Hats), 50c, 75c and $1.00 goods. This sale	10c
Men's Imported $7.00 Panamas This sale	$3.98
15c Pillow Cases This sale	10c
75c Carriage Covers. This sale	25c
40-inch Lawns This sale	9½c
38-inch Huck Towels This sale	10c
Beautiful Bath Rugs This Sale	50c
Lap Robes, value $1.00 to $5.00. This sale, 40c to	$2.50
Big reduction in Wash Silks. Some less than half price.	
Pearl Buttons, per dozen This sale	2c
Double Tipped Silk Gloves. This sale	48c
Ginghams. This Sale 3¼c — 10c Madras This Sale 7½c	
8c Lawns This Sale 4½c — 7c Prints This Sale 5c	
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A NET THAT FAILED TO HOLD.

The Snared Monster Broke Through Its Meshes and Was the Cause of One Death Before He Was Himself Killed by the Attacking Party.

Captain Fritz Duquesne, the Boer ivory hunter, was commissioned by a German naturalist society to capture one of each species of African quadrumana. He was entirely successful in the work, except that he could obtain no gorilla. Finally a pygmy pointed out a portion of the dank jungle in which a gorilla had been seen.

The captain immediately arranged his camp and laid his plans and made preparations to trap the monster and get him alive if possible, though he fully realized the danger of the undertaking.

"For four days," said the captain, "we camped in this hotbed of disease. Beaters went out in all directions searching for the gorilla. At last some deep, wide scratches were found on a cluster of vines. On close examination the unmistakable hair of the gorilla was found on a broken twig.

"After some hours we found the tree where the gorilla lived. We could tell it by the greasy appearance of the bark, made so by the repeated rubbing of the gorilla's body. We could tell by the fresh marks, with sap still wet, that the animal had recently ascended the tree. The scratches were short and deep, showing that it had lifted itself up and had not slid down, which would have made a long, shallow scratch.

"We spread a strong net around the tree in a circle sloping upward on the outer side. Around the top of the net there were drawn ropes from four directions, held by half a dozen natives hidden in the bush. These were to bring the top of the net together and thus bag our game.

"After waiting some hours the leaves above rustled and then opened as a six foot male gorilla descended unsuspectingly and entered the trap. I signaled, the four ropes were pulled at once, and we had our animal—for a moment. He roared in fury, twisting, jumping and biting the rope into pieces. The natives were pulled about like dolls as he tried to reach first one and then another. The professor jumped about in excitement, trying to focus a camera on the infuriated animal.

"At last the mighty arms of the gorilla broke a hole through the net, and he tore the rest from him as though it were a rotten rag. Most of the natives fled in dismay. The professor dropped his camera and tried to escape. In a moment the gorilla grasped him in its terrible hands.

"I seized my rifle and fired in the air to frighten the animal. In my position I could not shoot at him without hitting my friend. For a moment the gorilla stood still, holding the now unconscious man as though he were a baby, the brute's lips drawn back from his glistening teeth.

"I thrust another cartridge in my rifle. As I did so there was a buzz in the air, and an arrow, shot by a native, pierced the gorilla's side. A roar burst from his red throat, and he dropped his victim. Like a flash, before I could shoot, a native sprang from the leaves and, half throwing, half thrusting, drove an assagai into the gorilla's heart. With a groan the brute fell dead.

"Examining the professor, I found that his right arm was broken and that some of his ribs were crushed into his lungs. We gave up the effort to get a live gorilla and, placing the injured man in a hammock, carried him back toward the east coast.

"He died on the road. Out on the veldt beside a native village a lonely little slab marked 'Carl Bloch' sticks up above the grass. It is the professor's grave. Hunting is not all exciting adventure and laughing victory. It has its tears, like other things."—Hampton's Magazine.

Chances In Gambling.

Henri Poincare, the leading mathematician of France, declares that there is no infallible martingale or method of doubling one's stakes after every loss. "All one can do," says M. Poincare, "is to combine one's play so as to have a great chance of winning a little and a little chance of losing much or a few chances of gaining much and many chances of losing little. One can arrange his play so as to have one chance of winning a million francs and a million chances of losing a franc or a million chances of winning a franc and one chance of losing a million francs—and that's all."

Incompatible.

Towne—Well, well, the idea of his marrying Miss Goldey! Why, he's a dyspeptic. Browne—What has that to do with it? She's got plenty of money, and so— Towne—That's just it. She'll never agree with him; she's too rich.—Catholic Standard and Times.

It Had a Charm.

"I do miss Mrs. Jones. She told me all the news of the parish."

"Oh, that was only gossip—no truth in it."

"Well, there, I liked to 'ear it. Truth or lies, 'twas all news to me."—Punch.

The hours we pass with happy prospects in view are more pleasing than those crowned with fruition.—Goldsmith.

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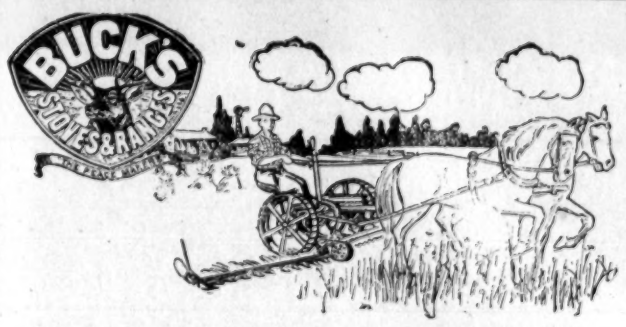

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WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., June 4, 1909.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M. Thursday, June 3rd:

Temperature at 8 A. M. 77 degrees; 8 P. M. 76 degrees; maximum 83 degrees; minimum 73 degrees; mean 78 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .06; for the month, .06 inch.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville Wednesday at 8 A. M. 5 feet.

Weather Forecast

For North Carolina—Showers Friday; Saturday partly cloudy and slightly warmer; moderate south to southwest winds.

Port Calendar—June 4.

Sun Rises.....4:42 A. M.
Sun Sets.....7:12 P. M.
Day's Length.....14 hrs. 25 min.
High water at Southport 7:51 A. M.
High water at Wilmington 10:51 A. M.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

American National Bank—Opened.

Business Locals.

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Wanted—A Manicurist.
For Rent—Furnished Room.
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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. W. R. Toon, of Whiteville, was here yesterday.

—Mr. L. D. Southerland, of Newbern, was a visitor to the city yesterday.

—Mr. J. A. Jones, of Laurinburg, was here yesterday, a guest at The Orton.

—Mr. H. W. Gowan was registered at The Orton yesterday from Halifax, N. C.

—Miss Olive Quince has returned from an extended visit to relatives in Georgia.

—Mr. R. M. Wescott left yesterday afternoon for Savannah, on his return to Waycross, Ga.

—Mrs. D. H. McLean, of Columbia, S. C., was among the registrations at The Orton yesterday.

—Mr. Frederick Munds left last evening for Pittsburg, Pa., to take up his old position with the Westinghouse Company.

—Mrs. Samuel L. Burke and Mrs. E. V. Kinyon, who have been spending some time as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Savage, left Wednesday night for their home in Chester, Pa.

"GREATER LUMINA" OPENING

Event Largely Attended Despite the Disagreeable Weather.

The formal opening of "Greater Lumina," at Wrightsville Beach, took place last night and despite the disagreeable weather was attended by more than 400 of those who delight in visiting this popular place of amusement. For some weeks past the building has been in the hands of workmen and visitors last night were pleased with the transformation. The place will prove more popular this Summer than e ver before for several reasons and many will visit the beach for the sole purpose of participating in the numerous forms of amusement afforded there.

For the first time this season the pavilion was brilliantly illuminated with Tungsten lights from one side to the other and presented a most beautiful appearance. There were quite a number of couples on the floor and delightful music was rendered by the orchestra of eight pieces. The refreshments stands were running in full blast and did a splendid business.

Three-car trains were run to the beach every half hour from 7:30 to 9 o'clock last night and each carried a large number of persons, but the crowd would have been several times larger had the weather been more favorable.

Mr. Jack Shannon to Wed.

Many friends of Mr. Jack Galloway Shannon in this city and section will be interested in the announcement of his forthcoming marriage to Miss Pearl Fields, daughter of Mrs. Bennett C. Fields, of Goldsboro, which will be solemnized in the First Baptist Church of that city on Wednesday evening, June 16th at 8 o'clock. Both the prospective groom and bride-elect are well known and quite popular and much interest attaches to the announcement of their forthcoming marriage.

Moon Obscured by Clouds.

The rain and heavy clouds last evening not only made it disagreeable for pedestrians and interfered with several outdoor events scheduled to take place, but prevented the observance of the moon in eclipse, which was a great disappointment to many Wilmington people. The rain was badly needed and would have been welcome had it waited until a later hour to begin to fall.

At the Bijou.

"Hunting Big Game in Africa" is the title of a picture which will be shown at the Bijou today. The bill will draw a crowded house to this popular amusement resort for there is much interest in African game just now owing to the fact that ex-President Roosevelt and his party are on a hunting trip in its jungles. The pictures give one a clear idea of the big hunt and will prove of great interest to all.

Every one would be benefitted by taking Foley's Orino Laxative for constipation, stomach and liver trouble, as it sweetens the stomach and breath, gently stimulates the liver and regulates the bowels and is much superior to pills and ordinary laxatives. Robt. R. Bellamy.

LOCAL DOTS.

—Rev. Thomas Elgar, the "Prison Evangelist" made the talk at the Y. M. C. A. shop meeting yesterday. His subject was "Watch" and the meeting was well attended and interesting.

—The Seashore Hotel, Wrightsville Beach, has engaged the services of Ex-Policeman J. T. Smith as life saver for the season. He will also act as special officer.

—Owing to the inclement weather the excursion planned for last night by the Dock Street Christian Church on the steamer Wilmington had to be postponed to a later date.

—The schooner Gracie D. Buchanan, Capt. Harrington, cleared yesterday for Baltimore with cargo of 17,674 ties from the Empie Lumber Company; vessel by C. D. Maffitt.

—Naval stores were not quoted in Wilmington yesterday, on account of holiday on the Savannah market. The birthday of Jeff Davis was commemorated in State of Georgia yesterday as in several other States.

—The lawn party to be given by the Junior Home Missionary Society on the lawn of the First Presbyterian church this evening from 5 to 7 o'clock, will in case of inclemency, be held in the church parlors.

—Orient Lodge No. 395, A. F. & A. M. elected officers last night as follows: G. L. Allen worshipful master; J. Holmes Davis, senior warden; J. F. Sears, junior warden; C. C. Brown, secretary, and James C. Munds, treasurer.

—The congregation of the First Baptist Church will be entertained this afternoon from 5 to 6 o'clock in the lecture room of the church by the United Workers' Society. All ladies of the congregation are invited to attend.

—St. John's Parish Guild has arranged for a moonlight excursion up the river tonight on the steamer Wilmington. The boat will leave Market street dock at 8 o'clock and return about 10:30 o'clock. The fare will be 25 cents for the round trip.

—Notice was received at police headquarters yesterday that two negroes, Scipiann Morgan and Ethel Jackson, escaped from the county farm the afternoon before. The women were sent to the farm a few days ago from the Recorder's court to work out fines and costs imposed for assault with deadly weapons and disorderly conduct. They had four months to serve.

REBUILDING LAUNCH

"Charlotte" Will be Used for Deep Sea Fishing at Tarrymoore.

Proprietor W. J. Moore, of the Hotel Tarrymoore, is having the launch Charlotte rebuilt and enlarged for use at sea instead of in the Sound only as heretofore. The launch will be a very handsome craft and will be available for both pleasure and fishing parties. The Tarrymoore formally opens on June 10th and Mr. Moore is confident of one of the best seasons he has yet had. A number of improvements have been made and the service and cuisine will be of the best.

Furniture Dealers to Close.

The following furniture dealers of the city have agreed to close on Fridays at 1 P. M. beginning this week and continuing until the last Friday in August: Wilmington Furniture Co., G. L. Hunt Furniture Co., A. C. Sneed, W. Munroe & Co., W. J. Bradshaw & Co., S. Seigler, Rice & Cloud and B. May. The agreement is signed with the understanding that the furniture dealers discontinue the 6 o'clock agreement already signed, except where the dealer prefers to close on his own account.

Joint Committee on Sewerage.

The Mayor having appointed five members of the Board of Aldermen as a joint committee with the Board of Audit and Finance to investigate the proposed purchase or construction of a sewerage system, Chairman Heyer of the latter Board, has appointed all five members of that body to confer with the Aldermanic committee. The joint committee is expected to begin work at once.

K. of P. Election of Officers.

Jefferson Lodge No. 61, Knights of Pythias, last night elected officers as follows: W. W. Love, chancellor commander; E. L. Potter, vice chancellor; R. B. White, prelate; P. B. Bell, master of work; A. S. Holden, keeper of records and seal; W. L. Williford, master of finance; J. M. Taylor, master of exchequer; W. P. McGlaughon, master at arms; A. L. Mincy, inner guard; G. W. Branch, outer guard; W. P. McGlaughon, lodge deputy. District Deputy L. B. Rogers telegraphed from Atlanta that he would be unable to attend the Grand Lodge and Lodge Deputy McGlaughon was elected in his stead.

FLESH-FORMING FOOD

When you buy a package of Samose, the great flesh forming food, weigh yourself and see how much you gain in the first week's use J. Hicks Bunting will tell of many of his customers who a month or so ago were thin, pale and haggard, but who are now, through the use of Samose, plump, strong and happy, with perfect health and attractive flesh he has seen so many instances of the wonderful power of Samose to restore the weak and sick to strength and health and to make good natural flesh that he give his personal guarantee with every package of Samose he sells to refund the money if it does not prove satisfactory.

Samose is a pure preparation ,and can be used with absolute confidence by the most delicate. It gives remarkable results with children who are weak and run down and without appetite. It builds up the thin, pale, puny girl and woman to perfect plumpness and health. It is the only flesh forming food of its kind and in addition, it strengthens every organ of the body, restoring strength and health to the whole system.

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Athletic Events.

Athletic Events at the beach tomorrow afternoon. **

MR. C. N. EVANS

One of the Ablest Bankers at Convention in Charlotte.

The Charlotte Chronicle of Friday in its story of the closing sessions of the North Carolina Bankers' Association has the following to say of Mr. C. N. Evans, cashier of the Southern National Bank, of this city, which will be read with interest by his many friends:

"Mr. C. N. Evans, a former resident of Charlotte, and now connected with the Southern National Bank, of Wilmington, in the capacity of cashier, was one of the ablest men who was heard on the floor of the convention. Mr. Evans' ability as a banker, and expert in matters financial, was recognized soon after he came to Charlotte as an officer of the Merchants and Farmers' National Bank. Mr. Evans is one of the most progressive bankers in the State and yet at the same time he is by no means afflicted with over-zealousness in his work which tends toward radicalism. He took an important part in all of the chief discussions and questions before the meeting, but he gave no countenance whatever to any radically proposed methods of securing reforms, while at the same time he put up a strong fight for reform wherever he thought such to be necessary. He believes in doing things, but doing them by conservative and established methods. This characteristic was clearly shown in his discussion of the question of a 6 or 8 per cent. interest rate, which was the most warmly debated issue of the convention. Mr. Evans declared that the banks of the State were probably over-taxed also, but he did not favor any radical step on the part of the convention to secure a remedy but rather proposed conservatism and progress along already established lines to obtain any desired redress."

MAY TERM NEARING END

Yesterday in Superior Court Taken Up With Land Case.

The May term of New Hanover Superior Court for the trial of civil causes is nearing an end and as is usually the case very little progress has been made toward clearing the docket. Only a very few cases were tried, the greater portion of the time of the court being taken up with suits involving titles to land, which always require considerable time for trial.

A case involving the title to a piece of property is pending now and will be completed some time today. It is not thought that there will be any other jury trials. The case is one in which V. C. Bordeaux is suing J. C. Walton, et al., for the recovery of 360 acres of land, located near Castle Haynes, which was sold for taxes a year or two after the death of the original owner, Andrew Jackson Deal, in August, 1883. When sold the property was purchased by the plaintiff's mother, who, according to the contention of the plaintiff, paid the taxes and worked turpentine boxes on it until the beginning of the suit something over a year ago, when the defendants took possession. The property originally belonged to Mr. Walton's wife's father.

The argument of counsel began yesterday afternoon, J. O. Carr, Esq., opening for the plaintiff, being followed by W. P. Gafford, Esq., for the defendant. This morning George Rountree, Esq., for the plaintiff and Hon. John D. Bellamy, for the defendant, will address the jury after which the judge will deliver his charge.

Deeds Recorded Yesterday.

Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: Victor Boatwright, of Portsmouth, Va., to J. B. Cranmer and wife, for $100 and other considerations, two lots on east side of Fourth street, 82 feet south of Orange, one being 10x110 feet in size and the other 40x110; T. R. Mask and wife and John E. Taylor and wife to Elizabeth Wallace, for $100, lot on north side of Queen, 142 feet east of Tenth street, 47x99 feet in size; John M. Walker and wife to Emma L. Simon for $10 and other considerations, lot 40x150 feet, 118 feet south of Orange street, with privilege to use water from pump nearby, also use of alley to and from the pump; J. B. LeGwin, et al., to Mary B. Alexander, for $100 and other considerations, part of two lots on corner of Ninth and Harnett streets; L. M. LeGwin, guardian of Emmie Belle LeGwin, his daughter, to Mary B. Alexander for $575 a lot on northern line of Harnett street, 110 feet east of Eighth street, 33x132 feet in size.

ENCAMPMENT AT CASWELL

Coast Defense Maneuvers Begin Monday—Secretary Smith Here.

Field Secretary Julian S. Smith, of the Y. M. C. A. of the Carolinas, arrived yesterday to make preparations for the Association feature of the encampment at Fort Caswell, which he will have charge of, during the coast defense maneuvres, which will be in progress from June 7th to 17th. A large tent and other equipment will be provided, as has been the custom of the Y. M. C. A. in recent years, and Mr. Smith is at the head of the State Committee. A number of members of the local Association will probably make a visit in the interest of the Association during the encampment.

The five companies to participate in the maneuvers this year will be from Wilmington, Raleigh, Goldsboro, Salisbury and Durham. Mr. Smith will make his second visit to the fort, within the past two weeks, during the next few days and complete the arrangements for the Y. M. C. A. feature.

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Athletic Events.

Athletic Events at the beach tomorrow afternoon. **

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BEFORE THE RECORDER.

Two Sent to the Roads for Larceny. Other Cases Tried.

There being no evidence upon which to connect the defendants with the robbery, the Recorder yesterday morning dismissed the cases against eight small negro boys who were suspected of having some knowledge of the burglary of the residence of Mrs. Fannie Johnson, on Walnut street, last week. A pitcher stolen from Mrs. Johnson's home was found Monday morning in a strip of woods by some of the defendants and the theory of the police was that one or more of the boys knew something of the robbery. The evidence at the hearing did not disclose anything more than that the pitcher had been found and was returned to the owner.

The names of the defendants are Tom Gauss, David Williams, Willie Cobb, Thomas Mash, Ben Boone, Foster Burnett, Hurbert Harris, and Louis Henderson. Marsden Bellamy, Sr., Esq., appeared for the defendants.

Theodore Vaughn, colored, was found guilty of refusing to assist Patrolman Rouse in making an arrest and was fined $25 and taxed with the costs. A. H. Pait, Esq., represented the defendant and he gave notice of an appeal to the Superior Court, the appearance bond being fixed at $50. Marsden Bellamy, Sr., Esq., appeared for the prosecution.

The case against W. M. Cherry and W. B. Turley, white men, charged with an affray, was continued until today on account of the absence of Mr. Cherry.

J. Marshleommel, a white man, was fined $5 and required to pay the costs for drunkenness and disorderly conduct. Wm. Edward, a white man, paid a fine of $10 and costs for drunkenness and for the same offense Tom Jones, a white man, was required to pay a fine of $5 and costs.

Chas. Rowe and Eugene Bryant, colored, were given three months each on the county roads, for the larceny of a hack from Mr. W. H. Millan Monday morning. The defendants used the hack in the Memorial Day parade. They claimed that they asked some one if they could have it for the day, but they did not know the name of the person who gave them the permission.

Entertainment for Charity.

The pupils of Mrs. Curtis Arnall-North will give a recital in the Academy of Music Friday night, June 11th, this being the closing entertainment of the elocution class for the year. During the evening the younger members of the class will give a delightful play depicting child life and there will be pantomimes, readings and monologues by the older and more advanced pupils. As a climax a one-act comedy taken from the German "The Obstinate Family" will be given. Tickets have already been placed on sale and the indications point to a large attendance. An admission of 25 cents will be charged, the proceeds to go to the benefit of charity.

Negro Shot by Officer.

Because he refused to stop when commanded to do so, John Phillips, a negro of a bad reputation in police circles, was shot in the arm by Patrolman R. L. Rouse on North Second street Wednesday night. After a desperate struggle the officer succeeded in arresting Phillips for beating a woman and was on his way to police headquarters with the offender when he broke loose and ran. The bullet from the pistol failed to stop the negro and he is still a fugitive.

Colds that hang on weaken the constitution and develop into consumption. Foley's Honey and Tar cures persistent coughs that refuse to yield to other treatment. Do not experiment with untried remedies as delay may result in your cold settling on your lungs. Robt. R. Bellamy.

A Ride to the Pier

on the steamer Wilmington at 5:15 P. M. will cure that tired feeling. Fare 15 cents for round trip. **

ORPHANS HERE TONIGHT

Singing Class Will Give Entertainment in Academy of Music.

The singing class of the Oxford Orphan Asylum, composed of 16 bright and talented boys and girls, will arrive in the city on the 1:25 o'clock train this afternoon from Whiteville, where they gave an entertainmeent, and will give a concert in the Academy of Music tonight, beginning at 8 o'clock. Judging from the advance sale of tickets the orphans will be greeted by a large audience. The class will remain in the city until Saturday when it will go down to Southport, where a concert will be given tomorrow night, remaining there over Sunday.

The class is composed of 10 girls and six boys and they have been carefully trained by their instructors, assuring all who attend an evening of rare enjoyment. The singing class is sent out each year and has been heard here with pleasure on many occasions. A message was received yesterday afternoon stating that Mr. J. Henry Highsmith was temporarily in charge of the children, Mr. Holladay having been relieved for a few days. Miss Maler is the lady instructor with the children.

The reserved seats are on sale at Mr. John W. Plummer's and quite a number of reservations have been made. The general admission will be 25 cents. The local committee in charge of the arrangements is composed of Captain W. P. Oldham and Mr. R. C. Cantwell and they expect a record house tonight.

MATTER WAS COMPROMISED.

Judge Allen, in Chambers, Hears Case From Pender County.

Affidavits were read and arguments made before Judge W. R. Allen, in chambers, late yesterday afternoon in a matter from Canetuck township, Pender county, in which the defendants, Messrs. F. P. Flynn, Wm. Flynn, T. O. Flynn and Samuel A. Flynn, were cited to appear and show cause why an order restraining them from obstructing a canal between their lands and the lands of Messrs. J. J. Zibelin and C. H. Zibelin, should not be made permanent. The parties to the controversy agreed upon a compromise by which the canal is to be opened pending an investigation by a committee composed of three persons, one appointed by the plaintiffs, one by the defendants and the third to be named by the two members of the committee.

The plaintiffs were represented by the firm of Stevens, Beasly & Weeks and Kenan & Herring, and appearing for the defendants were Jno. D. Bellamy & Son and J. T. Bland, Esq.

GRAND LODGE OF PYTHIANS

Meets Coming Week at Hendersonville. Large Party From Wilmington.

The Grand Lodge, Knights of Pythias of North Carolina, meets next Wednesday at Hendersonville, N. C., and the indications are that a party of 25 or more prominent Knights from Wilmington and vicinity will attend including Supreme Master of Exchequer T. D. Meares, State Deputy Grand Chancellor J. D. Nutt and other Grand Lodge officers, a number of whom will be accompanied by members of their families. The party will travel in a special Pullman via Columbia, S. C., leaving Tuesday afternoon.

To avoid serious results take Foley's Kidney Remedy at the first sign of kidney or bladder disorder such as backache, urinary irregularities, exhaustion, and you will soon be well. Robt. R. Bellamy.

15 Cents.

To the Pier and return on steamer Wilmington. Boat leaves 5:15 P. M. daily. **

Athletic Events.

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WILL GO TO SOUTHPORT

Annual Encampment of Boys' Brigade to be Held in July.

The Boys' Brigade has decided to accept the very cordial invitation of the people of Southport to hold the annual encampment there again this year and July 17th has been selected as the date to go into camp. Both the Senior and Junior divisions will participate in the encampment, which will last for 10 days. The Seniors have 60 men under command of Colonel Walker Taylor and the Juniors, under command of Captain Charles C. Loughlin, have a membership of 45. The officers of the Senior division are Frances Garrison, first lieutenant, and J. Fred Russ, second lieutenant.

Southport was very much concerned over the report that there was a possibility of the encampment being held somewhere else this year and the announcement that that place had again been selected came as pleasant news to its citizens.

STACK'S BODY RECOVERED

Found Near the Point Where He Was Drowned—Interment.

The body of Mr. John O. Stack, the white man, who was drowned Monday afternoon, when the boat in which he and five others were rowing to the dredge Jacksonville, capsized, was found floating on the river about 8 o'clock yesterday morning by the Government surveying party close to the place where he went down. The body was immediately brought ashore and carried to the undertaking parlors of Mr. James F. Woolvin, where they were viewed by Coroner Bell. It was learned yesterday that the young man was only 24 years of age.

The remains were prepared for burial and funeral will be held this morning at 10 o'clock. The interment will be in Bellevue cemetery. Nothing has been heard from his relatives in regard to the disposition of the remains.

SELLS HIS INTEREST.

Mr. McDiarmid Retires From Brokerage Business—Returns Home.

Mr. W. S. McDiarmid, who for some five years has been an active young business man in this city, has disposed of his interest in the Atlantic Brokerage Company and will leave today for his home at Raeford, N. C., where he will be otherwise engaged in business. During his connection with the company it has been carried on most successfully and in the future will be under the management of Mr. A. H. Lucas, Jr., who acquired his interest. Mr. S. D. Lucas also retains an interest in the business.

Mr. McDiarmid is a popular young man, who has scores of friends among the business men of the city, who will regret to see him leave and wish for him full measures of success in his future endeavors.

PLAY THIS EVENING.

"The Sweet Girl Graduates," Presented by the Luther League.

A pleasing and interesting drama, particularly appropriate to the season of the year will be presented by The Luther League at the Luther Memorial Building, entitled, "The Sweet Girl Graduates," this evening, beginning at 8:30 o'clock. The public is invited to attend and no admission will be charged.

It is a beautiful play, given in three acts, and a splendid cast of characters, composed of the members of the League, under the direction of the ladies of the church, will doubtless present it most creditably.

Closing of Parochial School.

The closing exercises of St. Thomas' Parochial School were held in the auditorium of the school Wednesday night and were of an exceedingly interesting nature. There was a large audience and the programme was carried out in a splendid manner by the pupils, who have made marked progress during the term just closed.

101ST ANNIVERSARY OBSERVED

Local Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, Honor Memory of Jefferson Davis—Impressive Exercises Held.

The one hundred and first birthday anniversary of Jefferson Davis was fittingly observed by the Cape Fear Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, with appropriate memorial exercises at the Wilmington Light Infantry Armory yesterday afternoon. The exercises were of an impressive and inspiring nature and the celebration was attended by many of the ladies and children of the Confederacy.

Miss Hettie James was chairman of the meeting and the exercises opened with a fervent prayer by Rev. Wm. E. Cox, rector of St. John's Episcopal Church, after which Jefferson Davis' favorite hymn, "How Firm a Foundation" was effectively rendered. Mrs. A. M. Waddell read a poem by Miss Pattie W. Gee, of North Carolina, entitled, "Mater Mea Carolina," and Mrs. W. M. Creasy gave several interesting extracts from the history of the prison life of Jefferson Davis. Following the exercises the meeting closed with the benediction by Rev. Mr. Cox.

The armory was beautifully decorated with flags and a handsome portrait of Jefferson Davis, presented last year by Mr. C. W. Yates, was appropriately draped in red and white, colors of the Daughters of the Confederacy. The decorations were arranged by a committee of which Mrs. L. L. Pritchard, was chairman and whose artistic work in this line have called forth many warm words of praise on former occasions.

The memorial service was also an occasion for the third bestowal of Crosses of Honor to Veterans during the year.

CUTTER STEAMS SEAWARD

Seminole Will Complete Her Voyage Over Cruising Grounds.

To complete her voyage over the cruising grounds, commenced last month when she visited Charleston, the revenue cutter Seminole cleared port yesterday for a cruise of eight days in the vicinity of Cape Lookout and Hatteras. This is the first voyage to this portion of the cruising grounds since Captain D. P. Foley recently assumed command.

This is one of the Summer cruises. The Seminole within the next few weeks will be ordered into dry dock, either at Baltimore or Newport News, where she will receive necessary repairs. She will return to port during the latter part of next week.

INLAND WATERWAYS ROUTE

Coastal Board and Congressmen Leave For North Carolina.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Norfolk, Va., June 3.—Today a party including the Intra-costal Waterways Board and a party of Congressmen, Messrs. Alexander and Cocks, of New York; Small, of North Carolina, and J. Hampton Moore, of Philadelphia, president of the Atlantic Deep Waterways Association, left here on the steamers Jessamine and McGregor to inspect the Southern end of the proposed Boston to Beaufort, N, C., inland waterways. They go through the Albemarle sound and Chesapeake canals, Albemarle and Pamlico sounds and the Neuse river.

The marriage of Miss Beatrice Thaw, daughter of Alexander Blair Thaw, of Pittsburg, to Don Francesco Theodoli, of Italy, took place yesterday at the Thaw residence in Rome.

Athletic Events.

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RETAIL MERCHANTS TO MEET

State Organization Scheduled For Elizabeth City This Month—Mr. D. L. Gore to Make Address. The Programme.

The seventh annual meeting of the North Carolina Retail Merchants' Association will convene in the Elks' Club rooms in Elizabeth City Tuesday, June 15th, and will continue in session for three days. A number of Wilmington merchants expect to attend the gathering. An attractive programme has been arranged for the sessions of the convention and one of the features is an address by Mr. D. L. Gore, of this city, who will address the convention Wednesday evening, June 16th, on "Why Retail Merchants Fail."

The indications are that the convention will be largely attended by members from every part of the State and the gathering promises to be the most enthusiastic in the history of the organization. Elizabeth City will do herself proud in the entertainment of the guests, having arranged a number of social events in honor of the visiting merchants.

The organization has grown rapidly during the past few years and the merchants of the State have been greatly benefitted by concerted action. The past two years have been hard ones for the mercantile interests and tested the "survival of the fittest."

The present officers of the Association are: President, Archibald Nichols, Asheville; vice president, E. E. Broughton, Raleigh; secretary, H. Taylor Rogers, Asheville; treasurer, J. Frank Morris, Winston-Salem; general counsel, Norman H. Johnson, Charlotte. Vice presidents of Congressional districts: Jas. W. Knight, Elizabeth City; Eugene S. Allen, Warrenton; A. A. Joseph, Goldsboro; J. B. Pierce, Raleigh; C. H. McKnight, Greensboro; E. D. Nall, Sanford; A. T. Morris, eighth district; T. B. Brown, Salisbury; J. O. Gardiner, Charlotte; S. Lipinsky, Asheville.

Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock the delegates to the convention will assemble in the Elks' assembly hall and register, after which the convention will be called to order by the president, Mr. Archibad Nichols. Prayer will be offered by Rev. J. D. Bundy, of Elizabeth City, after which Dr. Zenas Fearing, mayor, will deliver the address of welcome in behalf of the city; J. B. Leigh in behalf of the Chamber of Commerce, and Jas. W. Kight in behalf of the local merchants' association. The response will be made by A. B. Justice, Esq., attorney for the Charlotte association. After the appointment of committees and the opening of the "question box" adjournment will be taken until the afternoon when reports will be received from the State officers, secretaries of local associations and the committee on credentials; an address will be delivered by Mr. Norman H. Johnson, attorney of the association, on "The Southern Merchants' Opportunity," and committees on constitution and by-laws, ways and means, resolutions, auditing and nominations will be named. Tuesday evening the auditing committee will make its report, following which Hon. Robt. N. Simms, of Raleigh, will make an address on "The Best Way to Secure Legislation." The "question box" will be opened again and a general discussion will follow.

At Wednesday morning's session the vice presidents of the Congressional districts will make their reports and other reports will be received. Wednesday afternoon reports will be received from the chairmen of the standing committees, followed by a general discussion. Wednesday evening the feature will be an address by Mr. D. L. Gore, of this city, who will tell the convention "Why Retail Merchants Fail." Following the address and the reception of reports of committees the convention will adjourn to the Southern Hotel, where a banquet will be served.

The concluding session will be held on Thursday morning when the next place of meeting will be selected and officers for the ensuing year elected.

In addition to the banquet Wednesday evening two other events have been arranged complimentary to the visitors—a baseball game Wednesday afternoon and a steamboat trip to Albemarle Sound Thursday morning.

EQUATORIAL AFRICA.

How Hunters Dress Where There Is No Dawn and No Dusk.

We wore khaki for daytime and warm clothes for night when sitting around the camp, as after the sun goes down a great chill immediately settles down that makes winter clothing and a good big fire most essential.

During the daytime we always wore pith helmets, although sometimes early in the morning and late in the afternoon, when the sun is not at its maximum, a double terai felt hat may be substituted. It is far more comfortable than the helmet.

As additional protection we wore sun pads which covered the spine. These are merely heavy quilted strips that reach from the collar to below the shoulders, as we were advised that the effect of the sun was just as deadly at this point as on the head. I do not know what maximum the thermometer would reach in the sun, as I was afraid to leave it exposed when it got higher than a little above 150 degrees, as beyond that point there was great danger of breaking it. In the shade the temperature would be usually from 85 to 100 degrees, but there was always a breeze blowing, and the dryness of the air cooled one off quite rapidly as soon as one got out of the sun. It was always cold in the morning when we started out at the first peep of light, and we were usually shivering for a few minutes prior to the sun's appearance. Day does not dawn in equatorial Africa, but it bursts! It is dark one minute and full sunlight the next, and the reverse occurs in the evening, for the sun goes down and night comes on as if a curtain had suddenly been drawn down over the west, and the chill of night begins instantly.—Percy C. Madeira in Metropolitan Magazine.

"A Sound Box."

Take an ordinary rubber band and stretch it between the thumb and forefinger of your left hand. If you pick it with the fingers of the right hand and let go suddenly it will make a sound which you can hear distinctly enough yourself, but which will not be audible to any one a few feet away. But if you were to fasten the elastic, with a pin at each end, to an empty wooden box, only not so as to touch the wood, and then twang it the sound would be much louder than before. That box is the sound box or sound board, and all stringed instruments have one in some shape or other.—St. Nicholas.

Pride.

'Arry and his best girl were discussing recent events in the High street, Bethnal Green.

'Arry—Did you read the list of presents Ann Smith had for her weddin'?

'Arriet—Yes, I did. The hidea for such as them 'avin' the weddin' put in the paper! They might be bloomin' haristocrats. 'Arry—Fancy her mother giving her such a 'andsome present as a 'orse and trap! 'Arriet—Garn! It was a clothes'orse and a mouse trap. I've seed 'em. That's their bloomin' pride!

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A CONFIDING CONSTABLE.

The Way He Helped the Housemaid Repel the Burglars.

A good story is told at the expense of a constable in rural England, says a writer in the London Telegraph.

Not long ago a young and pretty housemaid arrived at the big house of the neighborhood, and it was observed that our friend's beat often took him in that direction. At first she seemed to resent his advances, but suddenly she changed altogether, and the course of true love appeared to run smooth—for a time.

One night he called rather later than usual. It was dark, and his fair one greeted him somewhat coolly, he thought.

His doubts, however, disappeared when she suddenly declared that she would take him into her confidence. She had overheard the particulars of a plot to break into the house and steal the plate.

"Now, Jim," she said, "here's a chance for promotion. The burglars knew where the plate was kept, so we've shifted it. What I want you to do is to get into the plate cupboard and wait till they come and open the door. Then you'll have 'em."

Jim jumped at the chance and half an hour later was concealed in the cupboard. The burglars came, as expected, and promptly got to work.

The constable chuckled to himself as he heard the muffled whir of a tool on the outside of the cupboard door, and he grasped his staff and waited.

After some minutes' waiting he resolved to take a cautious peep. But the door was fast, securely screwed on the outside by the burglars.

When Jim eventually roused the house and was released from his prison the burglars and plate, together with the pretty housemaid (a confederate), had disappeared. Moreover, the constable's position took a good deal of explaining away.

Awkward, but No Chump.

Once there was a pretty woman who came upon a huge ostrich in the desert.

"Foolish bird," said the pretty woman. "You cover your head with sand and think you are out of sight."

The huge ostrich laughed.

"My dear madam," he chuckled, "there is nothing foolish about that. Don't you cover your head with a hat decorated with my feathers and think you are 'out of sight?'"

Moral.—The ostrich is an awkward bird and eats horseshoes, but he can hit back in other ways than with his big feet.—Chicago News.

Oddity of Dreams.

"Nobody ever feels pain in a dream," said a psychologist. "Rage, terror, joy, grief—these emotions stab us as poignantly in dream as in reality. But physical pain, no. I have interrogated 2,000 persons, and none of them ever suffered dream pains. Yet they have dreamed of dreadful motor accidents, tortures, death. One young girl, indeed, dreamed time and again of being eaten alive by cannibals, yet even in that horrible nightmare she felt no pain."

Got Even With the Clerk.

Mr. Jawback—This gown is not becoming to you, and it is expensive. Why did you buy it? Mrs. Jawback—Because the clerk looked as if he thought I thought I couldn't afford it.—Cleveland Leader.

He that rises again quickly and continues the race is as if he had never fallen.—Molineux.

Athletic Events.

Athletic Events at the beach tomorrow afternoon. **

FOR A SPECIAL TRAIN

Quick Action Is Necessary When One Is Ordered.

WORK OF THE DISPATCHER.

This Official Has a Complicated Task In Putting the Special Through Without Interfering With the Running Time of Other Fast Trains.

Suppose you wished to take a special trip to any place on the map and the hour of your sudden resolution was 2 a. m. The chances are against knowing how to make this masterly move at such an unearthly hour, to say nothing of knowing how to go about it during the hours of business. It is easier than the unitiated possibly may believe. Of course the principal thing is money, the thing that makes both the mare and the special train go.

The train dispatcher is the official who can start the train while his superiors are asleep and when a wild eyed man who has a race against death to make halfway across the continent dashes into the station looking for a train that will make the distance on its own schedule. What the chief dispatcher wants to be sure about is the identity of the applicant for the unusual privilege and in this connection whether he is able to pay for a special.

Five thousand dollars in bills will make the dispatcher feel very much like ordering out the train. A deposit of that amount in his hands will undoubtedly bring the train out in a few minutes after the order is given. Sometimes a call on the telephone to the residence of a well known citizen who says he will be responsible for the cost of the train will answer the requirements of the dispatcher, or the check of the applicant, if he is a well known citizen, is a sufficient guarantee. It can be made large enough to cover the bill for the special.

In the case of a wealthy man who will let nothing stand in the way of accomplishing his purpose the cost of the train is not a previous consideration. He simply wants to get to a certain point at a certain time. Getting there on time is the uppermost thought in his mind. He paces restlessly up and down the platform until the train backs into the station or on to the siding where he is notified it may be waiting for him. Unless he stipulates that a private car be used in the train he will get a Pullman all by himself or those who accompany him. The use of a private car costs more, but is preferred by the wealthy patron. When everything is ready for embarking the work of the dispatcher has just begun.

This official must put the special through without interrupting seriously the running time of other fast trains. It takes some ticklish work, for the other trains must be "cut out" on side tracks just before the special is to pass. In this way the schedules of the other trains are not broken more than a few minutes. The special dashes past on the right of way, and the regular fast train follows it. Freight trains using the same track are apt to lie on the sidings longer than the passengers because they cannot make distances between sidings quick enough to cut out in time to give the special a clear track.

The man who has paid his good money for the right to the track does not expect to be stopped en route, and it becomes the business of the railway or railways over which he is racing against time to afford him all the facilities. Usually in case of such an extraordinary emergency the railway takes great pride in making a record run and landing its patron at his destination in time to accomplish his purpose. The best engineers obtainable and a trustworthy conductor are placed in charge of the equipment of one engine and one car, for the running is at a rate of speed not undertaken in the passenger service.

Usually the extraordinary passenger is required to give the railway company some form of release from responsibility for loss of life or injury from accident due to what might be regarded under ordinary circumstances as a reckless speed, but the man who is racing to see a loved wife or daughter or son is always willing to take a greater risk than at any other time in his existence. But not only is his own life, but the lives of the train crew, in jeopardy during a wild race over the rails. However, on such an occasion the whole crew is imbued with the excitement and heroic nature of the fast mission and contribute in every way to the fulfillment of the errand.

Thousands of dollars have been paid by private citizens for just such races with death and sometimes where great financial crisis is at stake. The railway companies, despite the large honorarium received for undertaking such journeys, are loath to accept a passenger on these conditions. The crisis must be one that involves remarkable stress of mind and money. Usually their acceptance of such great responsibility both to the single passenger as well as thousands of others who may be using the tracks at the same time is governed by a great deal of sentiment.—St. Louis Republic.

A Mystery.

Constable—Now, gen'l'men, we've traced these here cloos—the futprints o' the hoss an' the futprints o' the man—to this stump. From here on thar's only the futprints o' the hoss. Now, the question is, Wot's become o' the man?—Life.

As we act toward others we may expect others to act toward us.—Syrus.

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE

—Charlotte Chronicle: The fame of Rowan county granite is growing. The monument to the regular Union army, unveiled at Gettysburg yesterday, a shaft towering 85 feet, was quarried near Salisbury.

—Franklinton, June 2.—Mr. R. A. Pruitt is putting in an ice plant next to the armory so we can soon have ice without having to call upon either Henderson or Raleigh for it. Success to Mr. Pruitt.

—Sampson Democrat; We hear farmers from different sections saying that lice are playing havoc with cotton. They, as well as all other troublesome insects, are much worse during cool and wet weather, such as we have been having. The things never let up till hot nights set in.

—Chapel Hill, June 2.—The Alpha Tau Omega fraternity experienced a heavy loss today when their chapter house was totally consumed by fire. The origin of the fire is unknown. No members of the fraternity were in the house when the fire broke out—all were at the afternoon dance at Commons Hall. The house was valued at $3,000, insurance $1,000. The house was built about 15 years ago. Immediately after the fire, about 20 of the members, both alumni and active, met and planned for re-building.

—Wilkesboro, June 2.—Wilkesboro is tonight celebrating the result of a special school tax election held today. Out of 87 votes cast, only six were cast against additional special tax. The proposed rate is 20 cents additional, the old rate being 30 cents on the 100. Much interest was manifested by our people. This is the county high school as well as the town graded school. We have nearly completed a new brick school building, and have one of the best schools in the State for a town the size of this.

—Littleton, June 2.—Littleton, it is understood, will shortly have electric lights. The Stirling Manufacturing Company, which is a large plant located in the northern part of the town, and owned by Eugene Johnston, will shortly enlarge its present equipment and place machinery necessary for lighting the town. In anticipation of the town being shortly lighted houses are already being wired and gotten in readiness. It is also rumored that there will be an ice plant in connection with the lighting apparatus.

—Littleton, June 2.—A severe wind and hail storm swept over Littleton yesterday afternoon about 6 o'clock and did much damage to growing crops as well as to houses. Glasses were broken in many homes by the hail stones, which were as large as hen eggs, and many trees uprooted. Advices received by telephone tonight would indicate that the storm swept a large part of both Halifax and Warren counties, entirely destroying the cotton, corn and tobacco crops, while berries suffered heavily. The house of Mrs. Howard Browning was struck by lightning, though only slightly damaged.

—Charlotte Observer, June 3.—Solicitor Herlot Clarkson will present this morning to the grand jury now in session the case of the State vs. Mr. Dennis A. Murley, charging him with an assault with a deadly weapon with the intent to kill his wife, Mrs. Katherine Jordan Hurley. For the past few days the town has been agog with the stories afloat concerning the sudden departure from the city of Mrs. Hurley, who left Charlotte Saturday night for the home of her mother, Mrs. W. T. Jordan, in New York. Prior to her departure she told her friends that her life was in danger should she spend it with her husband. She also stated that Mr. Hurley had fired at her three times Saturday morning, and that, under the influence of whiskey, his aim was bad, otherwise he would have killed her. Mr. and Mrs. Hurley have been prominent in Charlotte society for a number of years.

—Charlotte Chronicle: As long as 38 years a charter was granted to the Statesville Air Line Railroad Company. This company proposed to build a road from Statesville through the northern part of Iredell, through Yadkin county and to Mount Airy, in Surry county. After all this lapse of time, the project has been revived and a meeting was held in Statesville Friday, of the promoters of the enterprise when the boom was re-inflated. There now seems to be a prospect that the road will be built as the counties interested give promise of guaranteeing the bonds required. The Statesville Landmark is of the opinion that the plans adopted at Friday's meeting "seem to insure the building of the Air Line road in the near future." The wonder is that this charter has been permitted to remain idle so long. The proposed road would develop one of the richest sections in the State. Yadkin county could afford to built it on its own hook.

—Asheville Gazette-News: An interesting matter having to do with permission of the court for the Laurinburg & Southern Railroad Company crossing the right of the Seaboard Air Line at Laurinburg will be heard before Judge Pritchard in United States Circuit Court today. The Laurinburg & Southern will be represented at the hearing by D. P. Patterson, of Maxton, while John D. Shaw, of Rockingham, is here in the interest of the receivers of the Seaboard. Since the Seaboard is in the hands of receivers the Laurinburg & Southern is unable to cross the line and occupy a portion of the right-of-way of the road without authority from the court. It is understood that the L. & S. desires to cross the right-of-way of the Seaboard through Laurinburg in order to reach the passenger station. The road is asking permission of the court for authority to negotiate with the Seaboard receivers and in the event this authority is denied then the L. & S. will ask permission of Judge Pritchard to start an action in the State courts having for its purpose the crossing of the Seaboard right-of-way.

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12:00 P. M.	

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NOTICE.
The arrivals and departure are given as information, as well as connections with other companies; but arrivals and connections are not guaranteed.

NORTHBOUND.

		No. 48.	No. 42.
Lv.	Wilmington	9:00 am	7:00 pm
Ar.	Goldsboro	12:05 pm	9:55 pm
Ar.	Wilson	1:00 pm	10:52 pm
Ar.	Rocky Mount	1:35 pm	11:30 pm
Ar.	Weldon	4:55 pm	2:47 am
Ar.	Norfolk	6:55 pm	
Ar.	Petersburg	7:00 pm	4:25 am
Ar.	Richmond	8:00 pm	5:10 am
Ar.	Washington	11:50 pm	8:40 am
Ar.	Baltimore	1:16 am	10:02 am
Ar.	Philadelphia	3:45 am	12:23 pm
Ar.	New York	6:30 am	2:45 pm

SOUTHBOUND.

		No. 41.	No. 49.
Lv.	New York	9:25 am	9:25 pm
Ar.	Philadelphia	11:37 am	11:48 pm
Lv.	Baltimore	2:15 pm	2:46 am
Lv.	Washington	3:45 pm	4:20 am
Lv.	Norfolk		8:25 am
Lv.	Richmond	7:10 pm	8:15 am
Ar.	Petersburg	7:47 pm	9:03 am
Ar.	Weldon	9:35 pm	11:28 am
Ar.	Rocky Mount	10:33 pm	12:55 pm
Ar.	Wilson	11:14 am	1:56 pm
Ar.	Goldsboro	6:30 am	3:00 pm
Ar.	Wilmington	9:25 am	6:00 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND.
Via Wilson.

		Daily.	Daily.	Daily.
Lv.	Wil't'n	4:55 am	3:10 pm	7:00 pm
Ar.	Flor.	9:05 am	7:25 pm	3:55 am
Ar.	Col'bia	12:25 pm	10:45 pm	
Ar.	Chars.	1:10 pm	11:25 pm	7:00 am
Ar.	Savh	6:30 pm	2:20 am	9:20 am
Ar.	Jk'ville		7:15 am	1:50 pm
Ar.	Tampa		7:00 pm	10:30 pm

NORTHBOUND.

		Daily.	Daily.
Lv.	Tampa	9:00 pm	10:30 am
Lv.	Jacksonville	8:50 am	7:45 pm
Ar.	Savannah	12:55 pm	11:59 pm
Lv.	Charleston	5:25 pm	5:10 am
Lv.	Columbia	4:30 pm	6:00 am
Ar.	Florence	7:15 pm	8:55 am
Ar.	Wilmington	12:40 am	1:35 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

		Westbound. Daily.	Eastbound Daily.
Lv.	Wilmington	8:40 am	Ar 8:05 pm
Lv.	Fayetteville	12:10 pm	Ar 4:45 pm
Ar.	Sanford	1:40 pm	Lv 3:30 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN.

Daily Except Sunday.

		Northbound.	Southbound.
Lv.	Wilmington	3:30 pm	12:50 pm
Ar.	Newbern	7:00 pm	Lv 9:30 am

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Ar	Lumb'ton	5:30 A.M.	5:37 P.M.
Ar.	Maxton	6:12 A.M.	6:35 P.M.
Ar.	Hamlet	7:00 A.M.	7:30 P.M.
Lv.	Hamlet	7:25 A.M.	8:15 P.M.
Ar.	Monroe	9:26 A.M.	10:20 P.M.
Ar.	Charlotte	10:25 A.M.	11:20 P.M.

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Lv.	Lynchburg	2:30 p.m.	2:13 a.m.
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MARKET QUOTATIONS

¶ The Latest Reports From the Important Trading Centers and From Local Dealers.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, June 3.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE — Market nothing doing.

ROSIN—Market, nothing doing.

TAR—Nothing doing.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Nothing doing.

Quotations same day last year — spirits turpentine, 37 3-4 cents; rosin steady $2.40; tar firm $1.50; crude turpentine firm $2.00, $2.75 and $3.75.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine	51
Rosin	196
Tar	110
Crude Turpentine	49

Receipts, same day last year 27 casks spirits turpentine; 74 barrels rosin; (—) barrels tar; 67 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Steady, 10 3-4 cents for middling.

Same day last year—Steady, 11 1-4 cents.

Receipts—17 bales, same day last year 474 bales.

PRODUCE MARKET.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, May 27th.)

PEANUTS—North Carolina prime 50@55c; extra prime, 65c; fancy 70c; Virginia, prime 65@70c; extra prime 75@80c; Spanish 95@$1.00.

CORN—Firm, 98@1.00 per bushel for mixed.

N. C. HAMS—Steady; hams, new 15c; shoulders 12 1-2@13c; sides 13c.

EGGS—Good demand, 19@20c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Good demand at 20@30c for large springs; growns good demand, 40@45c.

BEESWAX—Firm at 27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2c per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Good demand at 2@4c per pound on foot.

HIDES—Dr. flint 10c; green, 7c per pound.

IRISH POTATOES—90c per bushel. Native new 90c to $1.25 per bushel.

SWEET POTATOES—Good demand 70@75c per bushel for yams.

WOOL—Free of burr, 16@22c.

TURKEYS—Good demand, 15c per lb. on foot; dressed 18c.

GEESE—Dull 50c per head; dressed 50c.

PORK—Good demand 8@9c; corn fed 9c for small pork.

SHEEP—Old dull $1.00@$2.00 per head. Lambs, good demand $1.25@$3.00.

THE COTTON MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, June 3.—The cotton market showed continued nervousness and irregularity today but seemed to be attracting more general support toward the close, which was steady at a net advance of 1 to 8 points.

The market opened steady at a decline of 2 points to an advance of 2 points and sold about 2 to 3 points net higher right after the call in spite of disappointing cables and bearish private crop reports. Further rains in eastern and central sections of the belt were undoubtedly a sustaining factor but there was no aggressive support during the early trading and prices gradually eased off under scattering liquidation and selling for a turn by room bears following the sharp recovery of yesterday afternoon. Active months at one time showed a net loss of about 4 to 6 points as a result of this pressure but the volume of selling seemed to diminish on a scale down suggesting that weaker longs had been pretty well eliminated and, later, some of the more prominent bull traders entered the market as buyers of July and the earlier new crop months. This started quite a wave of covering on the theory that a government condition report tomorrow of 80 per cent. or over had been discounted and July contracts sold up to 11.03, or 3 points net higher while the new crop showed a net gain of about 4 points. The close was a little off from the best under renewed realization. Two private crop reports were issued before the opening, one reporting an average condition of 82.1 per cent. comparing with the government condition of 79.7 per cent. last year, and a 10-year government average of about 81.4 per cent., and also reporting a decrease of 3.5 per cent. in the acreage, while the other reported an increase of 1.05 per cent. on acreage and characterized the condition as rather better than at this time last year.

Receipts at the ports today 9,328 bales against 14,499 last week and 6,445 last year; for the week 70,000 bales against 109,414 last week and 66,645 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 3,322 bales, against 1,014 last year, and at Houston 579 bales against 573 last year.

Spot cotton closed quiet, 15 points higher; middling uplands 11.50; middling gulf 11.75. Futures opened steady and closed steady.

Month	Open	Close.
June	10.90	10.90
July	10.92	10.97
August	10.87	10.91
September	10.88	10.87
October	10.80	10.84
November	——	10.84
December	10.83	10.84
January	10.78	10.80
March	10.80	10.82

PORT MOVEMENT

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Galveston—Holiday; net receipts 1,796; stock 69,914.

New Orleans—Steady, 10 7-8; net receipts 3,332; stock 150,196.

Mobile—Firm, 10 7-8; net receipts 550; stock 16,034.

Savannah—Holiday; net receipts 2,029; stock 52,086.

Charleston—Holiday; net receipts 400; stock 5,050.

Wilmington—Quiet, 10 3-4; net receipts 17; stock 1,500.

Norfolk—Quiet, 10 1-8; net receipts 332; stock 13,605.

Baltimore—Nominal, 11 1-8; stock 4,672.

New York—Quiet, 11.50; stock 182,948.

Boston—Quiet, 11.40; net receipts 72.

Philadelphia—Steady, 11.75; stock 2,143.

San Francisco—Net receipts 800.

Total today, at all ports, net receipts 9,328; Great Britain 15,600; Continent 3,189; Japan 800; stock 498,194.

Consolidated, at all ports, net receipts 43,271; Great Britain 28,756; France 6,402; Continent 14,724; Japan 1,500; Mexico 400.

Total since September 1st, at all ports, net receipts 9,636,954; Great Britain 3,326,008; France 988,760; Continent 3,280,674; Japan 197,999; Mexico 26,722.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Houston—Holiday, net receipts 579; stock 45,815.

Augusta—Steady, 10 7-8; net receipts 66; stock 23,583.

Memphis—Firm, 11; net receipts 460; stock 51,240.

St. Louis—Steady, 10 3-4; net receipts 216; stock 50,226.

Cincinnati—Net receipts 293; stock 17,920.

Louisville—Firm, 11.

Little Rock—Steady, 10 3-8; net receipts 274; stock 20,203.

Total today—Net receipts 1,888; gross receipts 2,013; shipments 9,102; sales 974; stock 188,987.

LIVERPOOL MARKET

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Liverpool, June 3.—Cotton: Spot moderate business done, prices unchanged. American middling fair 6.39; good middling 6.03; middling 5.83; low middling 5.65; good ordinary 5.36; ordinary 5.01.

The sales of the day were 8,000 bales of which 1,000 ewre for speculation and export and included 7,500 American. Receipts 4,000 bales including 200 American.

Futures opened steady and closed easy. June 5.67 1-2; June and July 5.67 1-2; July and August 5.74 1-2; August and September 5.72 1-2; September and October 5.71; October and November 5.70; November and December 5.69; December and January 5.69; January and February 5.69; February and March 5.69; March and April 5.69.

THE DRY GOCDS MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, June 3.—Large sales of print cloths and printed goods were reported during the day and an advance of 1-4c a yard was named on some bleached sheetings. A leading line of cotton blankets has been withdrawn owing to the mills being sold up for this year. Clothiers' linings for Fall have had a large sale. The jobbing trade is generally quiet and of a hand-to-mouth character for current needs. Advance orders still come in satisfactorily.

MARKET GOSSIP.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, June 3.—The securities market in New York today was replete with sensations and the causes lying back of the various spectacular demonstrations made by the price movements were kept veiled from public knowledge. That such causes existed and were of substantial nature was taken for granted on account of the convening evidence presented by the company itself. It would be difficult to conceive of any such reckless and prodigal lavishing of resources as would be involved in a purely manipulative movement in Southern Pacific such as its upward rush over 6 points today on dealings in 205,000 shares. Neither was it supposable that this demand was due to any sudden realization on the part of a widespread publicity of the merits of the Southern Pacific shares. The principal buying of the stock, moreover, came in enormous blocks from individual brokerage houses. The senior company, Union Pacific, was tardy in responding to the excited advance in Southern Pacific, and in fact, sold off at one time to a lower price than it closed last night. Later in the day it came into the movement more fully.

A remarkable 6 point jump in United States Steel preferred had no other explanation offered for it than the increase in the security of the returns growing out of the expansion in earnings. The whole market became very buoyant and animated before the close of the day but the influences ruling in all radiated from the impressive operations in the Harriman stocks and in United States Steel.

Bonds were firm. Total sales, par value, $10,073,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call. Total sales of stocks today 1,483,500 shares.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, June 3.—Money on call easy 1 3-4 to 2 per cent., ruling rate 1 7-8, closing bid 1 1-2, offered at 1 3-4. Time loans soft and gairly active; sixty days 2 to 2 1-2 per cent., and ninety days 2 1-4 to 2 1-2 per cent.; six months 3 to 3 1-4 per cent.

Prime mercantile paper 3 1-2 to 4 per cent. Sterling exchange strong with actual business in bankers bills at 4.8620 to 30 for sixty day bills and at 4.88 for demand, commercial bills 4.85 3-4 to 4.86. Bar silver 52 3-8. Mexican dollars 44.

NEW YORK BONDS.

U. S. refuding 2s reg	101 1-2
U. S. refunding 2s cou	101 3-4
U. S. 3s reg	101 1-2
U. S. 3s cou	102
U. S. 4s reg	118 3-4
U. S. 4s cou	121
American Tobacco Co. 6s	112
Atlantic Coast Line 4s	96 3-4
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	100 5-8
L. & N. Unified 4s b	100 7-8
Seaboard Air Line 4s b	85 3-8
Southern Railway 5s	112
U. S. Steel 3rd 5s	106 1-4

Closing Stock Lists.

Amalgamated Copper	87
Amr. Car & Foundry	57 3-4
Amr. Cotton Oil Co.	68 7-8
Amr. Locomotive	60 1-4
American Smelting & Ref	96 1-8
Amr. Sugar Refining	132
Atchison	110 3-8
Atchison pfd	104 3-4
Atlantic Coast Line	128
Baltimore & Ohio	115 3-4
Baltimore & Ohio pfd	93 1-2
Chesapeake & Ohio	79
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	153 7-8
Colorado & Southern	63 1-2
Erie	35 1-2
Erie 1st pfd	52 1-4
Erie 2nd pfd	42 1-4
Great Northern pfd	148 1-4
Kansas City Southern	46 3-4
Kansas City Southern pfd	73
L. & N.	139 1-2
Northern Pacific	148 1-8
Pennsylvania	136 3-4
People's Gas	114 3-4
Reading	155
Republic Steel pfd	99 3-8
Rock Island Co.	32 7-8
Rock Island Co. pfd	71 1-4
Southern Pacific	130 1-4
Southern Pacific pfd	131 3-4
Southern Railway	31 7-8
Southern Railway pfd	70 1-8
Standard Oil Co.	667
Union Pacific	193 1-2
U. S. Steel	67 7-8
U. S. Steel pfd	129 5-8
Va.-Car. Chemical	52 3-8
Western Union	74
Westinghouse Electrict Co.	83 7-8

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, June 3.—Flour firm with a moderate demand.

Rye Flour and Corn Meal—Steady.

Rye—Easy.

Wheat—Spot firm; No. 2 red 1.50 asked elevator. Options unchanged to 1-4c net higher. July 1.25 3-4; Sept. 1.16 3-4; Dec. 1.14 3-4.

Corn—Spot steady; No. 2, 86 elevator. Options 1c net higher. July 82 1-2; Sept. 78.

Oats—Spot barely steady; mixed 62 1-2 nominal.

Lard and Tallow—Steady.

Pork—Firmer.

Rice and Molasses—Steady.

Sugar—Raw quiet; fair refining 3.39.

Coffee—Quiet; Rio No. 7, 7 7-8 to 8; Santos No. 4, 9c. Mild—Quiet; Cordova 9 3-4 to 12 3-4. Futures closed net unchanged to 5 points lower.

Freights and Peanuts—Unchanged.

Potatoes—Firm, unchanged.

Cabbages—Dull, unchanged.

Cotton Seed Oil—Quiet but firm in sympathy with hog products and cotton; June 5.68 to 5.75; July 5.78 to 5.79; September 6.01 to 6.02; October 6.00 to 6.01; prime crude 4.67; prime summer yellow 5.67 to 5.75; prime white 6.05 to 6.20; prime winter yellow 6.00 to 6.15.

Butter and Cheese—Steady, unchanged.

Eggs—Easier; State, Pennsylvania and nearby selected white 25; do fair to choice 24 to 24 1-2; brown and mixed fancy 23; do fair to choice 22 to 22 1-2; Southern first 20 1-2; seconds 19 1-2 to 20.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Chicago, June 3.—Liberal sales of wheat for July delivery by prominent longs caused a slump today of 1 1-2 in the price of that option. The more distant months were relatively stronger and the market closed irregular with prices 3-8c higher to 7-8c lower compared with the previous final quotations. Corn and provisions were strong and sold at high record figures but oats were inclined to drag.

	Opening.	Highest.	Closing.
Wheat—			
July	1 20	1 20	1 18 7-8
Sept.	1 10 1-4	1 10 1-2	1 10 1-8
Dec.	1 08	1 08 5-8	1 08 3-8
Corn—			
July	72 1-2	73	73
Sept	69 1-4	69 1-2	69 1-2
Dec.	48 5-8	58 5-8	58 5-8
Oats—			
July	53 7-8	53 7-8	53 7-8
Sept	44 1-4	44 3-8	44 3-8
Dec.	44 3-4	44 7-8	44 3-4
Mess Pork, per bbl.—			
July	19 57 1-2	19 90	19 87 1-2
Sept	19 70	20 00	19 97 1-2
Lard, per 100 lbs.—			
July	11 15	11 25	11 20
Sept	11 25	11 35	11 32 1-2
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.—			
July	10 52 1-2	10 62 1-2	10 60
Sept	10 57 1-2	10 65	10 62 1-2

NAVAL STORES.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Charleston, S. C., June 3.—Turpentine quiet 38.

Rosin quiet. Quote: A. B. C. 2.90; D, 3.20 to 3.30; E, 3.65 to 3.70; F, 3.90 to 4.00; G, 3.65 to 4.05; H, 4.10; N, 4.85 to 4.00; M, 5.00; N, 5.25; WG, 5.30; WW, 5.30.

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BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., June 3, 1909.

C. C. Railroad—4 casks spirits turpentine; 22 barrels rosin; 9 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—14 bales cotton; 3 casks spirits turpentine; 11 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—3 bales cotton; 29 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—11 casks spirits turpentine; 6 barrels tar.

Schr. C. T. Herman—18 casks spirits turpentine; 110 barrels rosin.

Schr. Bessie Moore—6 casks spirits turpentine; 50 barrels rosin; 6 barrels tar.

Schr. Missouri—9 casks spirits turpentine; 14 barrels rosin; 98 barrels tar.

Total—17 bales cotton; 51 casks spirits turpentine; 196 barrels rosin; 110 barrels tar; 49 barrels crude turpentine.

A Federal grand jury at Chattanooga yesterday re-indicted W. J. Oliver on the charge of violating the National 8-hour law. On account of a technicality the former indictment against the contractor was quashed last week. The complaint is based on alleged violation of the law while working on a contract at the locks and dams at Hales' bar on the Tennessee river.

President Taft yesterday sent to the Senate the nomination of Louis P. Bryant, of Louisiana, to be surveyor of customs at New Orleans. Mr. Bryant is said to belong to the Lily White branch of the Republican party in Louisiana and was endorsed for the place by National Committeeman Pearl Wight.

—Wilson, June 2.—The Wilson Coca Cola Bottling Works, O. L. Bagley, owner, made an assignment today, naming J. T. Williams as trustee.

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(Continued From First Page.)

Wilmington	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Sharp, 2b	4	0	0	3	1	1
Streaser, lf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Smith, 3b	4	0	1	3	0	0
Levy, rf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Kite, c	4	0	2	11	2	0
Jayes, cf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Simmons, ss	3	0	0	2	2	0
Fox, 1b	3	0	1	4	2	0
Howard, p	3	0	0	1	3	0
Totals	32	0	5	27	10	1

Score by Innings.

Wilson .....000 120 000—3 10 1
Wilmington ....000 000 000—0 5 1

Summary—Double plays, Fox to Kite to Fox; sacrifice hits, Cooper and Jayes; stolen bases, Guerrant (2) and Fox; bases on balls, off Howard 2; struck out, by Howard 7, by Cowell 5; time 1:45; umpire, Barre; attendance 600.

Raining at Rocky Mount.

Rocky Mount, N. C., June 3.—Under skies that threatened rain at every minute and with it raining during certain parts of the game, Umpire McLaughlin called a listless game at the end of the eighth this afternoon.

The score was seven to two in favor of the Fayetteville team, and the locals did not cross the pan until after one was down in the eighth. Hemp singled to left and two men scored.

Fayetteville scored at ease and Forbes' wildness helped largely in the run-getting. Clancy was on the mound for the Highlanders and yielded but three hits, though two of these were connected and netted the runs.

Score:
Fayetteville .....101 010 22—7 8 1
Rocky Mount ....000 000 02—2 3 4

Batteries—Clancy and Galvinffi Forbes and Stephens. Umpire McLaughlin; time 1:45; attendance 300.

Seven Innings at Goldsboro.

Goldsboro, N. C., June 3.—In spite of the efforts of Jupiter Pluvius to "butt in" and prevent it, the Giants bird-egged the Capital City team here this afternoon winning by the score of one to nothing. The game was called at the end of the seventh on account of rain.

Goldsboro .....000 0001—1 3 0
Raleigh .....000 0000—0 5 0

Sparks and Stubbe; Pope and Rowe; umpire Carter; time 1:10.

Diamond Dust

The crowd was large yesterday in spite of the threatening weather. If only we could win now!

Top of the morning to Fayetteville! She is now through hugging the bottom and Wilmington wants to see her do even better.

The fans and fannies won't feel just comfortable again until they see the beaming countenance of Brodie in centerfield again.

"Old Man Mack," the best ever, just won't stand any funny business in the games at which he officiates. He popped a fine of $5 on Sharpie at Fayetteville Wednesday for protesting a decision at second.

Mr. Barre, who signed with Wilmington this season as a pitcher but who had to quit the game on account of a bad arm, is umpiring the Wilson series here this week. He keeps the teams working and seems to have the "good-eye" demanded by the fans.

Yesterday's Fayetteville Observer says: "There is a division of opinion among local fans as to whether Lohr's winning hit yesterday was an earned home run or not. The Fourth National Bank, however, saw it that way and awarded him their standing prize of $5 for each home run made on the local diamond."

MISSIONARY MEETING.

Interesting Gathering at Louisburg. Woman's Home Mission Society.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Louisburg, N. C., June 2.—There began last evening in this place one of the most interesting events of the year to the Methodists of North Carolina—the annual meeting of the Woman's Home Mission Society. The town of Louisburg with all its record of far famed hospitality, received the delegates with open arms and turned out en masse to their pretty church last evening to hear the splendid welcome addresses by the pastor, Rev. F. A. Bishop, in behalf of his church; Mrs. Allen, for the college, and Mrs. McKinnie for the Foreign Missionary Society. The response was made by Miss Smith, of Gatesville.

Today will begin the business of the session, and no doubt there will be shown a fine increase over last year in every way. Delegates from all points in the State will report what each society has accomplished and seek knowledge and inspiration from the presence of so many consecrated workers. The sessions are being presided over by the president, Mrs. R. B. John, of Raleigh, who has been active in missionary work in this State for many years. Among the greatest pleasures of the conference is the presence of Miss Lizzie Davis, a deaconess of the Southern Methodist church, who is visiting her home and people. Mrs. Sarah Londer, who is doing home mission work in Rockingham, is also a welcome visitor. The delegates are pleased with the hospitality of the people of Louisburg and will doubtless enjoy their stay.

A Thrilling Rescue.

How Bert R. Lean, of Cheny, Wash. was saved from a frightful death is a story to thrill the world. "A hard cold," he writes, "brought on a desperate lung trouble that baffled an expert doctor here. Then I paid $10 to $15 a visit to a lung specialist in Spokane, who did not help me. Then I went to California, but without benefit. At last I used Dr. King's New Discovery, which completely cured me and now I am as well as ever." For Lung Trouble, Bronchitis, Coughs and Colds, Asthma, Croup and Whooping Cough its supreme. 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by R. R. Bellamy.

Athletic Events.

Athletic Events at the beach tomorrow afternoon. **

BASE BALL

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Chicago, June 3.—The Chicago Nationals raised their third successive pennant today and afterward defeated Philadelphia 4 to 3 in a 12-inning game. After the flag was raised President Charles W. Murphy presented Manager Frank with a check of $10,000 to be divided equally among the men now with the team.

Twenty-one men will receive $455 apiece. Frazer, Lundgren, Slagle, Kling and others who were with the team when it won the championship last year received no part of the bonus. Moren forced in the winning run with the bases full and two out in the twelfth.

Chicago ....010 020 000 001—4 10 1
Phila. .....000 000 030 000—3 9 4

Overall and Moran; Moren and Doolin. Time 2:04. Umpires Johnstone and Cusack.

Pittsburg, June 3.—Pittsburg defeated Boston today 9 to 8 after having a score of 8 to 1 against them. The day was dark and at times it was hard to see the ball. The locals used four pitchers. In the fourth Wagner knocked a home run with the bases full.

Pittsburg .. ....100 601 01x—9 9 3
Boston .. ..160 100 000—8 13 2

Camnitz, Powell, Frock, Phillippi and Gibson; McCarthy, Mattern and Smith. Time 2:00. Umpires Emslie and Kane.

Cincinnati, June 3.—McIntyre began to weaken in the fifth inning when he hit one man and was found for a double. In the sixth he hit two men which with two doubles and a single gave the locals four more runs.

Cincinnati .. ...000 014 01x—6 6 1
Brooklyn .. ....100 000 100—2 6 0

Fromme and McLean; McIntyre, Rucker and Bergen. Time 1:40. Umpires Klem and O'Day.

American League.

Boston, June 3.—Detroit's hits were more timely than Boston's and the visitors won today's game 5 to 3. The base running of the locals was a feature.

Detroit .. ..000 002 102—5 11 1
Boston .. ..001 100 001—3 9 3

Willett and Schmidt; Steele, Cicotte and Donahue. Time 2:05. Umpires Kerin and O'Loughlin.

Philadelphia, June 3.—Chicago today defeated Philadelphia by 9 to 6 in one of the poorest games witnessed here this season. The home team used 16 players including five pitchers, while Chicago used 13.

Philadelphia ....112 010 100—6 13 4
Chicago .. ..100 030 320—9 8 2

Coombs, Krause, Vickers, Plank, Dygert and Thomas and Livingstone; Scott, Fiene, Smith and Payne and Sullivan. Time 2:32. Umpires Sheridan and Egan.

New York, June 3.—By an eighth inning rally today three runs were scored New York defeated St. Louis 7 to 5.

St. Louis .. ....000 011 030—5 8 3
New York .. ...000 010 33x—7 7 0

Waddell, Pelty and Stevens; Brockett, Warhop and Blair. Time 2:04. Umpires Perrine and Evans.

At Washington-Cleveland, rain.

Southern League.

All games postponed, rain.

South Atlantic League.

At Savannah 5, Columbus 1.
Other games, rain.

Carolina League.

All games postponed, rain.

Virginia League.

At Danville 4, Roanoke 8.
Other games, rain.

College Games.

At Cambridge, Mass.: Harvard 2, Williams 1, (12 innings.)

BLUE AND GRAY REUNION.

Proposition For Gathering of Old Soldiers at Washington.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Minneapolis, Minn., June 3.—Telegrams from leaders of the Grand Army and Confederate Veterans all over the country are being received by the Minneapolis Journal in approval of a campaign for a great reunion of the blue and gray, to be held next year in Washington under the supervision of the Secretary of War. Commander-in-Chief H. M. Hevius, of the G. A. R. thinks the proposition should first come before the encampment at Salt Lake City in August.

General Clement A. Evans, commander-in-Chief of the Confederate Veterans, replied: "I have no authority to speak officially. I can say personally that war passions are gone in the South."

LYNCHING AT FRANKFORT

Negro Hanged by Mob In Kentucky's Capital.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Frankfort, Ky., June 3.—John Maxey, a negro, last nifht shot B. C. Bowey, a negro, last night shot B. C. Bowjail here early today and lynched. The jailer showed resistance to the mob but with little effort the door was broken down, the negro taken out and hanged to the St. Clair street bridge.

The action of the mob created intense excitement among the law abiding citizens of the capital city who were appraised of the hanging this morning. Bowers is in a critical condition.

ACQUITTED OF MURDER.

Man Who Killed Dispensary Constable in Columbia, S. C.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Columbia, S. C., June 3.—After a trial lasting two days, Wade Hampton Sellers today was acquitted of the charge of murder. Sellers killed J. P. Farmer, a dispensary constable, in February, 1908. Farmer was attempting to search Sellers 'house for liquor when he was shot. The presiding judge ruled that the warrant on which Farmer was acting was invalid. The jury remained out three hours.

Athletic Events.

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The cost of getting a new boarder is not often greater than the cost of one insertion of a Business Local. Sometimes two or three insertions are needed.

MANNING IS APPOINTED

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dog bite brought here for the Pasteur treatment. She was bitten by a big dog owned by Mr. Thad Ivey. The dog died but it is not certain that it was afflicted with rabies.

With the installation of an electric elevator in the government building here, there will develop a new job as "elevator conductor," with a salary of $600 and an age limit of 18 to 50. The examination will be held June 19th.

The W. T. Carrington Lumber Co., of Durham, changes its name to The Durham Lumber Co., D. C. Mitchell principal incorporator.

Out at the Soldiers' Home today there was a ceremony in honor of the birthday of Jefferson Davis. The address was by Mr. R. D. W. Connor and there was special music by Mrs. Horace Dowell. The celebration was under the auspices of Johnson Pettigrew Chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy.

METHODS TO IMPROVE SALOONS.

Brewers Recommend Regulation of Traffic and Law Enforcement.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Atlantic City, N. J., June 3.—Proper regulation of the liquor traffic and a strict enforcement of the laws governing saloons, were recommended by speakers at the final session today at the annual convention of the United States Brewers' Association. Percy Andrews, of the Ohio State Brewers' Association, said the low dives were largely responsible for the agitation against the liquor business and he urged members of the Association to pledge themselves to assist the authorities in wiping them out. William C. Manchester, of the Michigan State Brewers' Association, took the same stand. H. B. Scharmann, of New York, a veteran member of the Association, believed that the only remedy for the present troubles of the brewers is the issuing of two kinds of licenses, one for the sale of beer and light wines and the other for the retailing of whiskies and other strong alcoholic drinks.

The Association in secret session adopted a resolution to the effect that brewers who ship beer from their own State into other States and acquire customers in other States, should conform to the regulations and limitations which have been adopted by the local and State brewing organizations into whose territory they ship and that they should assist the local brewers in their efforts to improve saloon conditions.

WIDOW OF H. B. PLANT.

More Than $200,000 to Charity Out of Estate of Millions.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, June 3.—More than $200,000 was left to charity by the late Mrs. Margaret H. Graves, wife of Robert Graves, and prior to her marriage to him the widow of Henry B. Plant, the multi-millionaire railroad, steamship and hotel owner, whose will was filed in the surrogate's court here today. The largest donations go to the Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum, St. Vincent's Hospital, the Society of the New York hospital, and the trustees of the New York fire department relief fund, each of which receives $25,000. A bequest of $20,000 is made to St. Luke's hospital, while ten other institutions are remembered in the sum of $10,000. To her husband, Robert Graves, Mrs. Graves leaves a specific bequest of $1,000,000, her residence, horses, carriages, automobiles, all personal property attached to the residence, and in an equal share with two nephews who are named among the beneficiaries, the residue of the estate after the payment of specified bequests. The total amount of the bequests is about $3,000,000. The value of the estate is estimated at about $8,000,000.

WRECK ON SOUTHERN

Eight Persons Injured in Alabama. Cars Were Submerged.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Birmingham, Ala., June 3.—Eight persons were injured, none fatally, this afternoon when a combination freight and passenger train on the Short Creek division of the Southern Railway toppled into Black Creek, near Maxine, Ala. The injured are: E. V. Lambeth, engineer; G. R. Wood all, brakeman; H. C. Collins, brakeman; George Rutledge, fireman, and four negro passengers.

The train ran up on a fill supporting the approach to the frestle, which had been softened by the hard rains. The engine and some of the freight cars got across, but the fill gave way under the strain and the passenger coaches were precipitated into the creek and entirely submerged. Trainmen regard it as remarkable that the negroes were able to get out of the submerged coaches and swim to land.

After crossing the trestle, the engine was overturned and the men on the locomotive were injured in jumping.

GEORGIA LAWYER'S CRITICISM.

President of Bar Association Attacked Methods of Court.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Warm Springs, Ga., June 3.—In his annual address before the Georgia Bar Association here today, President J. S. Merrill, of the Thomasville bar, drew upon his personal reminiscences for illustrations upon which he based an attack upon the methods of certain courts, vigorously criticising judges who allow altercations among opposing attorneys, abuse of witnesses on cross examination, the discarding of coats, etc., in the court room, and chewing tobacco and spitting there.

"A judge who allows such conduct as permitting an attorney to abuse a witness or another attorney puts his court on a plane below the level of a dive," he said.

Former Minister Hanson, who represented the United States in Spain, will speak tomorrow.

Captain Frank Erwin, aged 70, a native of North Carolina, and a captain in the Confederate army, died in Washington yesterday. He was an employe of the Postoffice Department.

WILL SETTLE STRIKE TODAY

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windows, tearing the curtains to shreds and splitting the seats into kindling wood.

When it became known that there was a probability of an amicable settlement tomorrow fury of mob abated and at 10 o'clock the disturbed districts were quiet. No serious trouble was reported from either West Philadelphia or the southern section of the city, but in Darby, across the city car line, a car was burned. The motorman had stopped his car at a railroad crossing. While awaiting the signal to cross the tracks a crowd gathered and someone fired a shot from a revolver. The motorman and conductor fled and the mob then set fire to the car, completely destroying it.

Several meetings were held tonight at which sympathy for the striking men was expressed. If the men agree to accept the counter proposition of the transit officials they will probably return to work late tomorrow afternoon. The employes of the 18 barns throughout the city will meet in their respective halls at 9 o'clock and elect delegates who will meet later and vote on the proposition of the company. The result will then be communicated to each barn and the decision of these delegates will be looked upon by the men as final.

RAINS IN SOUTH CAROLINA

Lowlands Inundated and Probably Heavy Losses—Warnings Sent Out.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Columbia, S. C., June 3.—Rains in the upper part of this State have caused all the rivers and streams to rise, inundating the low-lying fields, and probably doing great damage to the crops in bottom lands. The amount of damage cannot now be estimated. The local weather office has sent out a flood warning predicting very high water in the Congaree and Wateree rivers, probably reaching flood stage by tomorrow night.

WARM WIRELETS.

W. Judson Sarrat, of Union, S. C. a former member of the legislature from Cherokee county, yesterday received a commission as second lieutenant in the Philippine constabulary and will sail from Seattle, Washn., June 19.

"Schools like this one and universities like Princeton must pass out of existence unless they adapt themselves to modern life," was the declaration of President Woodrow Wilson, of the New Jersey institution, made yesterday in an address at St. Paul's school at Concord, N. H.

A Union, S. C., dispatch states that unusually heavy rains in that section, continuing all day, caused all streams and the Broad r'ver to rise and nearby mills are apprehensive of a repetition of last year's disastrous flood which did hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of damage.

The four-masted schooner George May, from Jacksonville, Fla., to Philadelphia, lumber laden, recently picked up at sea waterlogged and towed into Norfolk, has been taken to the Newport News shipyard for repairs. A libel salvage claim of $12,000 will be fought out through the courts.

Samuel Ashton, a lawyer, formerly of Chicago, where 40 years ago he was a Supreme Court judge, died in New York yesterday. He was born in Loudon county, Virginia, 85 years ago. Until advancing age curtailed his activities he maintained law offices in New York.

Night Superintendent John Smyder, of South Pittsburg, Tenn., was drowned at Lock No. 15 in the Warrior river near Tuscaloosa, Ala., yesterday and his negro fireman, Rasberry Jones, narrowly escaped the same fate. The men were working on the dam when the highwaters suddenly broke over a temporary fixture, sweeping a locomotive and the two men before it.

Falling 100 feet from a scaffold underneath a span of the New Manhattan bridge now in course of construction into the East river, Joseph N. Long and John Manning, two structural iron workers, had a remarkable escape from death at New York yesterday. After rising to the surface, the men, although considerably stunned, managed to keep afloat.

The Newport News Shipbuilding and Drydock Company, of Newport News, Va., yesterday announced the closing of a contract with the Southern Pacific Company for the construction of four passenger and freight steamers to run between New York and Gulf ports, the contract aggregating $3,000,000. The steamers are to be 450 feet long and will have a speed of 15 1-4 knots.

The birth of Jefferson Davis was observed in Norfolk, Portsmouth and other Virginia cities yesterday by the presentation of "crosses of honor" to surviving Confederates with an innovation including the presentation of similar honors to widows and descendants of Confederate soldiers. The crosses of honor were presented by the Daughters of the Confederacy in the various cities and counties.

The Clever Muskrat.

"Muskrats can swim two or three mile under the ice. I've seed 'em do it," said a New Hampshire guide.

"How do they breathe, Jake?"

"I'll tell ye. The muskrat he takes a big breath, and he plunges into the cold water, and he swims right out where the ice is—not a bit afeard. Then when he can't hold his breath no longer he sticks his nose right up agin that ere ice ceilin' and blows out a long breath. The breath makes a big air bubble, the ice oxygenizes the air in the bubble, so as it's real good to breathe ag'in, and old Mr. Muskrat he just draws it down inter his chest and swims on his way. The air he started out with can be oxygenized seven or eight times that thar way before it gits too poor for breathin', and the muskrat 'll cover about two mile before he has to come to the surface."—Exchange.

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MOONLIGHT EXCURSION — 10-mile trip up the river under the auspices of St. John's Parish Guild, Friday, June 4th, steamer Wilmington will leave Market street dock at 8 o'clock and will return about 10:30 o'clock. Delightful time assured. 25 cents round trip. ma 30 ju 2-3-4.

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